Gainesville Daily Sun

VOL. XXI, NO. 290 GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1905 TEN CENTS A WEEK

SKIRMISH REPORTED AROUND MUKDEN

Russians Lose Five Officers and Forty Soldiers.

JAPANESE OUTFLANK RUSSIANS

State of Siege Not Renewed in Manchurian Cities by Czar's Men—Japanese Cruisers Captures Dutch Vessel Loaded With Coal.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—General Kuropatkin, telegraphing yesterday to Emperor Nicholas reported an attempt of a strong Japanese detachment of infantry, cavalry and artillery to cut off the column of General Mitschenko's cavalry Jan. 14, as the latter was about to retire northward.

The Japanese, under cover of a mist, outflanked the Russians. A battle ensued. The Russian cavalry inflicting losses on the Japanese at short range and then retiring. The Russian losses were five officers and 40 men killed or wounded.

General Kuropatkin also reported the return of a Russian patrol after blowing up the railroad and destroying a mile of telegraph 2 miles north of Ta Tchekiao.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—The government has not renewed the state of siege in Manchurian cities at the opening of the new year, civil law in such places replacing military rule. The Russian papers protest against the imputation that General Mistchenko's cavalry violated Chinese neutrality, even if, of which there is at present no evidence, they crossed the Liao river above New Chwang, claiming that a small strip on the west bank is distinctly reserved as included in the sphere of hostilities.

While the daring cavalry raid on the line of the Japanese communications was welcomed as a heavy augury of the operations of the new year, the general staff does not give encouragement to the idea that it was a precursor of a serious Russian movement.

Japanese Capture Dutch Vessel

Tokio, Jan. 17, 2:30 p. m.—A Japanese torpedo boat destroyer captured the Dutch steamer Wilhelmina, which was carrying Cardiff coal to Vladivostok in the Tsushima straits Monday and brought her to Sasebo. A first class armored cruiser is being constructed at the naval docks at Kure.

THREE SUMMER HOTELS BURN

Fire at Rockaway Beach Destroys $200,000 Worth of Property.

New York, Jan. 18.—Three summer hotels and six cottages of summer residents were burned at Rockaway Beach today, causing a loss of $200,000.

The hotels were the Waldorf, Germania and Columbian. The largest of these was the Germania, which had 100 rooms. None of the hotels was occupied except by caretakers. The blaze started in the Waldorf and before fire apparatus could be summoned it seemed as though the beach for a long distance would be swept clean of hotels and cottages. Hope of saving the Waldorf was quickly abandoned, and efforts were made to save the other two hotels, but the heat was so intense that the firemen could only fight the blaze from a distance.

Embezzler Gets Ten Years.

Washington, Jan. 18.—James M. A. Watson, a clerk in the auditor's office of the district government, who was accused of embezzling $73,000 and recently convicted on two indictments involving $12,826, was today sentenced to ten years' imprisonment in the penitentiary. The court overruled his motion for a new trial.

Couldn't Blow Safe Open.

Lafayette, Ala., Jan. 18.—The Bank of Lafayette was entered by robbers last night. The vault door was blown open and the burglars tried to blow open the safe, containing about $20,000, but failed. No money was secured.

KILLED BY MEXICAN BANDITS.

Wealthy Man Murdered by Half-Breeds in Mountains.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Ira A. Sanger, a relative of Mrs. George M. Pullman, of Chicago, has been slain by Mexican half-breed bandits in the mountain wilds of Sinaloa, Mexico.

Robbery was the purpose of the murder. Mr. Sanger, who was well known in Chicago, although for the greater part of his life a resident of Colorado, had been in the northern section of Mexico along the Texas border for three years interested in mining and ranches. His companion in these ventures was George L. Stewart, of Chicago, who has just reached El Paso, Tex., with news of the murder. The victim probably was ambushed, Mr. Stewart reported.

Mr. Sanger was well to do, having property and investments worth, according to the El Paso estimate, between $40,000 and $80,000. He usually carried a considerable sum of money with him, but Mr. Stewart declares he had but a small amount at the time of the attack.

Mexican rurales were sent out after the murderers. Mr. Sanger was about 35 years old.

WILL ESTABLISH LOAN OFFICES

Retail Clerks' Association to Protect Members from Sharks.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Taking the cue from the Cigarmakers' union, the Retail Clerks' National Protective association will attempt to protect its members from loan sharks by the establishing of loan agencies at the headquarters in the various large cities, where the union men can get money without interest.

This plan has been announced by Max Morris, international secretary of the association, who has arrived from Denver, the headquarters of the union. The plan is to use the funds in the association's treasury for this purpose. If a member is out of employment and needs money he will state his case to the local officers of his union. His case will be investigated and if he is found worthy he will be given $100 without interest for a stated period. If he does not pay back promptly he will be blacklisted and kept from working. The Retail Clerks have 1,050 locals and a membership of 50,000.

SPY IN AN AMERICAN FORT.

Private Soldier Missing, Together With Drawings and Papers.

Baltimore, Jan. 18.—Private Peter G. Emmett, a clerk at headquarters at Fort McHenry for several months, and now alleged to be an English spy, has been missing since last Wednesday evening. A number of drawings of the fort and other papers are also gone. The police suspect that he has left the country.

Emmett enlisted at Fort McHenry a little more than a year ago. He gave his residence as No. 38 South Greene street, this city, and said that his nearest relative was George Emmett, color sergeant of the Twenty-ninth infantry.

Emmett was at one time in the British army. He came into public notice some time ago when it was stated that a number of maps and drawings found on the street had been shown to him and identified by him as accurate reproductions of fortifications at Gibraltar. Emmett said that he had formerly been stationed at Gibraltar.

TRASHY BOOKS THROWN OUT.

Public Libraries of Brooklyn Will Exclude Objectionable Literature.

New York, Jan. 18.—Public libraries in Blooklyn have determined that neither the morals nor the literary tastes of their people shall be contaminated if thew can prevent. Orders have been sent to the branch libraries, nine in number, that all questionable or trashy books shall be withdrawn from circulation and submitted at once to the director.

Those volumes considered positively bad and unfit for perusal in any home will be destroyed, excepting one volume in each instance, which will be preserved at the main library.

Other books which the director may consider suitable only for persons of mature ages will be held up for written applications.

HOUSE WILL VOTE ON SWAYNE CASE

Famous Impeachment Trial Is Now Before Congress.

OTHER NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

There Was a Tendency To Take Up the Swayne Case at Once—Favorable Report Is Made on New Shipping Bill.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The house agreed before proceeding with the Swayne impeachment debate today to begin voting on the articles of impeachment at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Palmer endeavored to secure a vote at 4 o'clock today. Mr. Gillette (Cal.) objected on the ground that several members who had prepared to speak on certain phases of the case would be cut off. Mr. Gillette made a request for a vote tomorrow which was finally agreed to. First, however, Mr. Macon (Ark.) objected.

"It seems to me," he remarked, "that the gentleman from California is trying to run this whole case himself and when I see that tendency, I always object."

He was induced not to insist on his objection.

Mr. Lacey occupied ten minutes in further discussion of the $10 a day expense appropriation, drawing this conclusion that an impeachment ought not to be voted on this ground.

The house committee on merchant marine and fisheries today authorized a favorable report on the shipping bill reported to congress by the merchant marine committee.

The president today sent to the senate the following nominations:

Commissioner of immigration—Robert Watchorn, at the port of New York.

Surveyor general of Louisiana—Jas. Lewis.

Postmaster—James T. Carr, at Birmingham, Ala.

BIG FIRE IN CRESCENT CITY.

Handsome Club House Destroyed by Flames—Fire Chief Hurt.

New Orleans, Jan. 18.—The Athenaeum, the handsome club house and hall of the Young Men's Hebrew association in St. Charles avenue, the Clio Street Evangelical church and some surrounding property, were destroyed by a fierce fire early today.

M. J. Fass, steward of the club, is missing. Elbert Hubbard lectured in the hall last night to a large audience. Some hours after the stage burst in flames.

The fire spread rapidly and the loss on the Athenaedm and equipment is stated by President Newman to be $70,000. Other losses bring the aggregate to $100,000.

During the fire Chief O'Connor, while standing on a shed in the rear of the burning building, was knocked down by flying debris and painfully hurt. Later an examination by physicians of Chief O'Connor showed that his collar bone was broken and that his injuries were serious.

Pleads Guilty of Fraud.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 18.—Ike L. Robertson, of Abbott, Ala., pleaded guilty to using the mails to defraud, and was remanded for sentence. His intended victims were the Putnam Manufacturing company, of Baxter, Tenn., and the Worthelmer-Swartz Shoe company, of New Orleans, to whom he sent orders for goods to be shipped to his pretended place of business at Abbott, Ala., where he claimed to be a dealer in dry goods, groceries, hardware and medicines.

Prize Fighters Raided.

New York, Jan. 18.—A remark overheard on an elevated train by a detective led to a police raid early today on a hall in West Thirty-eighth street, where a prize fight was in progress. Thirty-six persons were captured, including Charles McNally, of Providence, R. I., and "Jack" Kenny, of this city, who are alleged to have been the principals.

ADVANCE MONEY ON COTTON.

Texas Bankers Will Loan Farmers $25 Per Bale.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 18.—Colonel E. S. Peters, president of the National Cotton Growers' association, stated tonight that he had received from a well known southern banking firm an offer to advance $25 on every bale of cotton in Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma territory.

Inasmuch as the arrangements are not yet complete, Mr. Peters refused to divulge the name of the firm making the offer, but he declared that it was a thoroughly reliable and responsible banking institution of the south. The plan proposed is that the cotton shall be placed in the custody of trustees who will pay the money, and see that the cotton is stored in a warehouse acceptable to insurance companies. The cotton is not to be sold until the owner is willing.

Colonel Peters stated that the details would be arranged this week, and that at present the bankers were only figuring on whether the project would require $12,500,000 or $25,000,000.

THREE YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Ex-Postmaster Must Serve Term for Forgery.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 18.—The United States court of appeals, sitting at New Orleans has confirmed the sentence of ex-Postmaster Charles A. Piercher, of Choctaw Bluff, Ala.

At the last term of the United States district court, sitting at Mobile, Piercher was convicted of forgery in connection with some contracts for carrying the United States mails, and was sent by Jurge Coulmin to three years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta. In several similar cases, where a negro was the chief witness, he was acquitted.

In this case he was convicted on the testimony of M. G. Candee, a prominent merchant of Choctaw Bluff, who was shortly afteryards assassinated. An investigation clearing Piercher of any connection with the crime, he being on ball at the time.

He will be taken to Atlanta to begin serving his term.

LARGE BLAZE AT JACKSON, GA

Only Good Work Saved Buildings on Public Square.

Jackson, Ga., Jan. 18.—Part of the business portion of Jackson is smoldering in ruins from a fire which broke out Monday afternoon from a defective flue in the Hotel Jackson.

The brick hotel and store rooms adjoining and the residence of the late Dr. R. G. Bryans, occupied by J. M. Allen, was totally consumed. The furniture of the hotel was partially destroyed. One store room contained among household goods, many valuable mementoes and keepsakes of Dr. Bryan and his Knight Templar sword which was highly cherished by his daughter, to whom it had been presented. All is a complete loss. Another store room was packed with groceries of the Jackson Mercantile company.

It took the combined efforts of the citizens to save the buildings on the square.

Request Reprieve for McCue.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 18.—John Lee and Tinsley Coleman, of Lynchburg, and Burnley Sinclair, of Charlottesville, counsel for J. Samuel McCue, who is to be executed Friday for the murder of his wife, went to Richmond today to ask Governor Montague for a reprieve. A petition is being circulated here by George E. Walker, Sinclair's partner, asking the governor to grant a respite for such time as he thinks proper. Over 200 business and professional men have signed the petition. Mr. McCue asks this in order to arrange his business matters.

Texas Vegetables Killed.

Waco, Tex., Jan. 18.—The cold weather of the past few days has killed all of the fall truck vegetables in central Texas and up and down the Brazos valley. Orders have been placed by local commission men for vegetables from south Texas. The cold was followed by heavy frost, which completed the work of destruction.

NIEDRINGHAUS IS FULLY EXONERATED

Finding of Committee In Favor of Republican Leader.

HIS ACTIONS FAIR AND HONEST

Representatives Casey and O'Donnel File a Minority Report—Neidringhaus Did Not Contribute $21,000 to Republican Campaign Fund.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 18.—The majority report of the committee on the Niedringhaus investigation was read in the lower house today in the presence of a large crowd. The findings of the committee exonerate Mr. Niedringhaus and say that his explanation of the contribution of $21,000 attributed to him are satisfactory.

The report says in part:

The action of Mr. Niedringhaus, so far as investigation of your committee is concerned, which investigation was full and fair, was honest and above criticism.

The report adheres to the declaration that the contribution was to the Republican city campaign committee of St. Louis; that Niedringhause did not contribute $21,000 to that fund, and that he filed no such statement with the recorder of deeds because he was acting treasurer of the city committee. It seems that as chairman of the state committee Neidringhaus filed a statement, including the $21,000 which was properly credited to him, and that Adolfus Busch guaranteed him $2,500 and Otto Stifel guaranteed him $3,250 of the said amount; that no money was contributed by brewers to influence legislation, and with explanations of Niedringhau, in regard to this $21,000, was satisfactory.

Representatives Casey, of Jackson, and O'Donnell, of St. Louis, Democratic members of the committee, filed a minority report, along the lines of the senate committee's report made yesterday. Casey moved to substitute the minority repor for the majority report.

After the motion to adopt the minority report had been seconded by Representative Whitecotton (Dem.), of Monroe, a motion was made to have the Niedringhaus testimony read.

All Opposition Withdrawn.

St. Louis, Jan. 18.—A special from Jefferson City, Mo., says: All opposition on the part of the Kerens forces to the election of Thomas K. Nieldringhaus for United States senator to succeed Mr. Cockrell, has disappeared. Representative Grace, of St. Louis, one of the leaders of the movement against the Republican state chairman, declared at noon that the fight was at an end, and that he would second the nomination of Mr. Neidringhaus.

AFTER CAMPAIGN BOODLERS.

Missouri Officer Getting Evidence About Election Contributions.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 18.—Circuit Attorney Arthur Sager has made a hurried trip here from St. Louis, caused, it is said, by developments in regard to the investigation into campaign fund contributions. When asked as to his official position and probable action in the matter he said:

"I have only this to say: If the facts justify proceedings under section 7176 of the revised statutes of 1899, I will institute them."

The section 7176 to which Mr. Sager referred, provides that it shall be unlawful for any corporation to influence or attempt to influence the result of any election in the state or to procure the election of any person to a public office.

Negro Freezes to Death.

West Point, Ga., Jan. 18.—Brown McCarden, a negro employed by the city, was found dead Sunday morning in the rear of Alford's saloon. The coroner's jury has decided that he was too drunk to get up from where he had fallen and as a result froze to death.

SUDDEN DEATH OF SHANNON K. MILLER

Found Dead in Bed at His Home in Jacksonville Tuesday.

HEART FAILURE THE CAUSE

Was in Excellent Spirits, and Appeared to be in Good Health Monday Evening—Mother Went to Wake Him and Found His Lifeless Form.

Shannon K. Miller of Jacksonville, well known in this city, where he resided for many years, died suddenly at his home in that city some time during Tuesday night, and the following account from The Times-Union of the 18th inst. will be read by his numerous friends and acquaintances here with regret:

"News of the sudden death of Shannon K. Miller yesterday morning came as a severe shock to his many friends in the city and State.

"Mr. Miller had attended to business as usual the day before, and had spent the evening at home reading and chatting with members of his family. While it was known to one or two of his intimate friends that his health was not of the best, outwardly he seemed about as usual, and the evening before his death he was in quite a cheery mood.

"Yesterday morning, failing to rise at the usual hour, he was called several times by his mother, who receiving no answer, finally entered the room, and was distressingly shocked to learn the sad truth. Death had come during sleep. The composed features and resting attitude showed that all unconsciously life had passed away. Valvular disease of the heart was the cause of death.

"Those who were so fortunate as to enjoy his confidence and association recognized in him a man far above the average—one whose Maker had indeed blessed bountifully with those attributes which are found only in men of strong character and fixed determination. Always true to his friends and principles, he was indeed a man who could be trusted in every way. His ideas of honesty were perfect, his integrity unquestionable, his honor without a blemish. To know him was to love him. To be counted among his friends was an honor.

"Shannon K. Miller was born at Windsor, Fla., March 3, 1868. He lived in Windsor until about ten years of age, when, in 1878, his family located in Gainesville. Here Shannon received his early education, and continued to reside in that city until 1890. He then came to Jacksonville, and becoming interested in the drug business, continued in this line from that time on. For many years he was with William Fairlie, and also for a short time with C. C. Bettes. Two years ago he was engaged by Kirk & Jones as prescription clerk, which position he held up to the time of his death.

"The deceased leaves to mourn him his mother, Mrs. S. E. Miller, two sisters, Mrs. W. M. Stinson and Miss Leonora Miller of this city, and three brothers, Dr. F. D. Miller and J. M. Miller of this city and W. Miller of New York."

The funeral was held from the residence, No. 1012 East Bay street, at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. E. Boggs officiating.

Deceased has relatives in Gainesville, to whom the sympathy of the community is extended.

DEATH OF MR. STEVENS.

One of Alachua's Oldest and Most Respected Citizens Passed Away.

Information reached this city Wednesday afternoon on the death of J. K. Stephens, which sad event happened at his home in Alachua some time during Wednesday.

Deceased was about eighty years of age. He has lived a long and useful and upright life, and was loved and respected by all who knew him. He is a pioneer of Alachua county, having resided here when this country was little more than a wilderness inhabited by the Indians, with an occasional white man. It is said by those who are in a position to know that he has resided in the vicinity of his death for the past half a century.

Mr. Stephens leaves a large family, and a great many relatives, among whom are S. J. Burnett and Mrs. R. P. Goss of this city. The latter went yesterday to Alachua, where today she will attend the funeral.

The Sun, with other friends, extends sympathy.

WOMEN'S NEGLECT

SUFFERING THE SURE PENALTY

Health Thus Lost Is Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

How many women do you know who are perfectly well and strong? We hear every day the same story over and over again. "I do not feel well; I am so tired all the time!"

More than likely you speak the same words yourself, and no doubt you feel far from well. The cause may be easily traced to some derangement of the female organs which manifests itself in depression of spirits, reluctance to go anywhere or do anything, backache, bearing-down pains, flatulency, nervousness, sleeplessness, leucorrhœa.

These symptoms are but warnings that there is danger ahead, and unless heeded a life of suffering or a serious operation is the inevitable result.

The never-failing remedy for all these symptoms is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Miss Kate McDonald, of Woodbridge, N. J., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"I think that a woman naturally dislikes to make her troubles known to the public, but restored health has meant so much to me that I cannot help from telling mine for the sake of other suffering women.

"For a long time I suffered untold agony with a uterine trouble and irregularities, which made me a physical wreck, and no one thought I would recover, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has entirely cured me, and made me well and strong, and I feel it my duty to tell other suffering women what a splendid medicine it is."

If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it is free and always helpful.

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

Mrs. Paulsen at Orange Heights Entertains for Little Daughter.

Orange Heights, January 18.—Mrs. N. A. Paulsen entertained a few friends Saturday afternoon, the 14th, in honor of her little daughter, Laurel, who was celebrating her eighth birthday. The little hostess made a charming picture as she appeared in pure white, her beautiful golden hair hanging down in curls, her face wreathed in smiles and her eyes sparkling with happiness as she greeted each little friend as they were ushered into her presence with their arms full of dollies. Each guest was supposed to bring with them their whole doll family.

The children present were: Thelma Gladis Brown of Gainesville, Miss Lulu Powell of Waldo, Misses Ella Jolly, Minnie-Ela Eddy and sister, Bessie, Alice Burch and Alva Babbitt of Orange Heights.

Miss Bessie Eddy carried away the prize for the handsomest doll; Miss Eula Powell for the neatest dressed. Miss Ella Jolly found the most peanuts and "retailed" the donkey.

There were dollies short and dollies tall,
Dollies large and dollies small,
Dollies black and dollies white,
But some of the dollies were a sight,
There were dollies old and dollies new,
And the pretty dollies were not a few,
There were dollies, I think, of every make,
But Mrs. Eddy's dollie took the cake.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Witnesses Denounced as Traitors.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 18.—A special to The Tribune from Eureka, Utah, says that Bishop Daniel Connelly, in ad address before the Mormon Young People's societies of that place, denounced as "traitors," the witnesses in the Smoot investigation who have revealed the endowment house oaths and declared he had known men to be shot to death for breaking their oaths.

NEWS TERSELY TOLD.

Prominent people of Worcester and other parts of Massachusetts are planning for the erection of a bronze statue of Senator Hoar.

A mile in 37 seconds flat has been made over the Daytona beach, by H. L. Bowden, of Boston, in his 90-horse power Mercedes car.

Three women converts were baptized in a hole cut through 8-inch ice in the Delaware river at North Cramer Hill, N. J., Monday.

John D. Rockefeller has ordered his lieutenants to pay no further attention to the attacks of Tom Lawson upon his different trusts.

A Vancouver dispatch announces the loss of the halibut fishing steamer, Columbia, of British Columbia. All hands, about 30, were saved.

While Mrs. O. J. Townsend, of Anderson, Ind., was making up a folding bed here the bed closed suddenly, breaking her neck. She died instantly.

According to a cablegram received at the state department from Ambassador Thompson at Petropolis, martial law has been prolonged in Brazil until Feb. 16.

Today at noon the house and senate of Washington, in separate session, will ballot for United States senator, and will meet in joint session every day until a senator is elected.

Henry C. While, one of the best known citizens of Cleveland, O., and probate judge since 1887, dropped dead of heart disease this afternoon, while making a call at the home of a friend.

An old man named Ward, commonly known as a miser at Utica, N. Y., stepped by mistake in front of a fast express train and was killed Monday. He leaves an estate valued at $200,000.

Mrs. Mary Guenther, of Williamsburg, N. Y., was burned about the face and hands putting out an oil fire in her home. Police Sergeant Mundy, who went to her rescue, was also badly burned.

The Riviera has been visited by snow and unusually severe weather, causing great discomfort and damage, says a Herald dispatch from Paris. At San Remo, flowers to the value of $1,200,000 have been killed.

When the Hamburg-American liner Deutschland arrived today at Naples, her 430 passengers presented a testimonial to her comander, Captain Carl Kaempff, in honor of the completion of his one hundred and fifthieth round trip.

Frank Harlow, of Frank Harlowe & Co., of Chicago, a board of trade firm, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, giving the debts as $37,000. The assets of the concern amount to $8,000. Utrech King was appointed receiver.

The four-masted schooner Cordelia E. Hayes, Captain Brown, from Baltimore to Charleston, with a cargo of guano, which standed on Diamond shoals, near Norfolk, Va., Sunday, will be a total loss. The crew of 11 and the cook's wife were rescued by the Hatteras and Creed Hill life-savers.

A Grim Tragedy

Is daily enacted in thousands of homes, as death claims, in each one, another victim of consumption or pneumonia. But when coughs and colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds, which cured her, and today she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and $1,00 by all druggists. Trial bottles free.

$50,000,000 Subway for Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Jan. 18.—The Pittsburg Press today unfolds a scheme of H. C. Frick, and others, to spend $50,000,000 here in terminal facilities for the Pennsylvania railroad. It is also announced that a new $7,000,000 skyscraper is to be built by Mr. Frick. John Wanamaker is also spoken of as being connected with the deal, and it is asserted that he will open a department store in Pittsburg.

Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you need to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them. At all druggists, 25c, guaranteed.

Did you get up with a headache?

Bad taste in your mouth? Not much appetite for breakfast? Tongue coated? Then you have too much bile in your system. Wake up your liver and get rid of some of this bile. Ayer's Pills! Ayer's Pills! Sold for over sixty years. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

...A TRIUMPHAL RETURN...

JOHN H.

SPARKS'

OLD RELIABLE

VIRGINIA SHOWS

And Trained Animal Exposition.

Bigger, Better and Grander Than Ever! Twice its Former Size!

WILL EXHIBIT AT

GAINESVILLE, SATURDAY, JAN. 21

Two Performances Daily—Evening and Night. Doors open 1 and 7 p. m. Performance one hour later. The show that never broke a promise. Everything new and novel, presented in glittering magnificence. A world of wonders to startle the mind and brighten the eye. Animals and features too numerous to mention.

SEE THE BABY LIONS! As playful as kittens and beautiful to gaze upon.

REMEMBER ROMEO! The largest and heaviest lion in captivity, with mane of magnificent growth.

The only, the best, the greatest, most intelligent elephant performing, OUR MARY, the friend of the children, and known throughout the South.

That intelligent little pony, Bolivar, the smallest in the world. The educated horses and ponies, the Funny Mule, Trained Goats. See the elephants, lions, tigers, bears, wolves, hyenas. Our Performing Lions.

CLOWNS! Those Funny Fellows. They are to sing to you and make you laugh. Don't miss this show. John H. Sparks has but one. This is it. See it.

Trapeze Performers, Contortionists, Wire Walkers, Tumblers, Beautiful Lady Artists, Wonderful Aereal Acts, with Our Own Light Plant Which Makes Our Water-Proof Tents at Night as Light as Day.

Grand Golden Street Parade at 10 a. m.

Free Outside Exhibition at Show Lot!

YOUR MONEY BACK

—If the Goods Don't Suit.

THAT IS OUR MOTTO AND WE LIVE UP TO IT.

Rye Whiskey:	PER GAL.	Corn Whiskey:	PER GAL.
Copper Distilled	$1 65	N. C. White	$1 65
Queen City	2 00	N. C. Better	2 00
Sunny South	2 50	N. C. Fine	2 50
Gilt Edge	3 00	Laurel Vally	3 00
Pedigree	4 00		
Overholt	4 00		

DIPLOMA RYE====PER GALLON $4.00

WE HAVE OTHERS. WRITE US.

J. J. WILLIAMS,

P. O. Box 401. JACKSONVILLE, FLA. 211 W. Bay St.

THE EVERETT HOTEL,

235 W. Bay St., JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA.

Centrally located, thoroughly repaired and renovated. Newly furnished. European Plan.

H. MASON, Proprietor

..GAINESVILLE BOTTLING WORKS..

—MANUFACTURERS OF—

Pure Soda Water, all Flavors, Ginger Ale, Root and Birch Beer, Cider, Etc.

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

Write for prices. Cases and bottles are not sold, but must be returned.

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

H. L. Rosenberger, the successful trucker and farmer of Kirkwood, was trading in the city yesterday. He reports a heavy movement of lettuce for the last few weeks, but the markets are so discouraging at present that the shipments have decreased.

Special Agent Naff of the United States land office has returned from Orlando, where he went several days ago on official business. The friends of Col. Naff will regret to learn that he is slightly indisposed. He intended originally continuing his trip to Miami, but felt so badly that he decided to return home for a few days.

Cuthbert Padgett departed yesterday for Lakeland, where he expects to recuperate for a few weeks. This young man has just recovered from a forty-one day spell of fever, and goes to South Florida with the hope that the change will prove beneficial. His young friends are glad to see him out again, and trust that he will rapidly improve.

F. H. Clyatt, the trucker of Clyatt Station, was among the visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Clyatt states that lettuce shipments, which have been heavy, have been partially checked on account of the condition of the market, but some cauliflower is moving now. Cauliflower is one of the best paying crops, and is bringing now in the Eastern markets from $3.50 to $4 per basket.

There was a very interesting union service in the M. E. Church at Orange Heights on Sunday, the 15th—preaching by Rev. Branning of Waldo, assisted by the M. E. pastor of Melrose, after which a Sabbath school was organized. There will hereafter be preaching at this point every two weeks, these two ministers officiating alternately, first and third Sabbath in each month.

MR. THOMPSON IS HERE.

Famous Comedian Arrived Yesterday. Reminiscences of Florida Life.

John Thompson, the versatile actor and comedian, who is probably more widely known than any other actor in the United States for his versatality, arrived in the city yesterday, and is comfortably located at the Magnolia.

Mr. Thompson will appear at the opera house this evening in his unique entertainment which he has pleased to term "Around the World in Eighty Minutes." This entertainment may be classed as vaudeville, but in the production Mr. Thompson is "the whole thing," affording two and a half hours of versatile work, which is highly refined. The best recommendation for the attraction is the fact that it has been on the boards of the various theatres of the United States, large and small, for the past twelve or fifteen years, and has never yet failed of that magnetic power of attraction. The uniqueness of the attraction is the fact that Mr. Thompson does it all, but his impersonations and his costumes are so natural that they must be appreciated by those who love high-class entertainment of this nature.

Mr. Thompson is by no means a stranger to Florida. Indeed, he is a pioneer, and might almost be claimed as a "Cracker." He is very much devoted to the State, and declares when this season is over, if he can resist the temptation of the profession he has followed for thirty-five years, and which he so dearly loves, he is coming to Florida, buy a home and remain here the balance of his life. "I want to tell you," he said, "Florida, especially the East Coast, is the garden spot of the world, and if a fellow is not satisfied here I am tempted to believe he would have a 'kick' in heaven.

"I have been coming to Florida ever since a lot of your now progressive business and professional men were wearing kilts," he remarked, growing into enthusiasm. "I will never forget an unusual experience I had in St. Augustine away back in 1881. That seems a long time, you know, to you young fellows, but it does not seem long to me, perhaps because I remember the incident so vividly.

"St. Augustine at that time was the southernmost point on the coast, consequently was crowded with tourists during the season. There had not been a show in the town for two years. Being aware of this I sent my advance agent with instructions to make the arrangement for my appearance. Upon his arrival there things did not look good to him, as he discovered there was nothing but a small hall in which to show, and the license would be $30. The agent telegraphed me to this effect, but I replied to him to bill the town.

"When I arrived at St. Augustine I found the condition of the musty, stifling hall almost beyond description. It was a hall over a saloon, and the room was filled with empty whiskey barrels, boxes of every size and description, and a little of everything else; but I put a force of negroes to work and soon had the place cleared of this rubbish. I then secured some chairs and arranged the hall for the show, after which I went to a drug store and placed my advance sales with tickets at $2 each.

"To make a long story short, I played two nights in St. Augustine on that trip and came out of the town nearly $2,000 to the good.

"Maybe that's one reason I hold my devotion to St. Augustine," concluded Mr. Thompson with a twinkle of humor in his eye, as he pulled a match from his pocket and lit a fresh cigar.

The Twentieth Century Club.

The Twentieth Century Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Rogers.

Mrs. Colclough as leader gave a very interesting program, the subject being "Opera in Germany."

Mrs. Percival sang very sweetly a selection from a German composer. She also gave a short sketch of his life.

"Musical Advantages in Germany" was read by Mrs. Harper.

Mrs. Tench read a very interesting article, "Gluck, the Father of Opera."

The music of Richard Wagner was read by Mrs. Taylor, and Mrs. Rogers read, "Love of Music in Germany."

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Percival on January 23rd.

Imperfect Indigestion

Means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents a bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Card of Thanks.

The family of J. S. Crown, Jr., desire through The Sun to thank those who so kindly rendered assistance and sympathy in their late bereavement, the death of Mrs. J. S. Crown, Sr. Friends were very thoughtful, and their kindness will never be forgotten.

Jointache

is one of the main symptoms of that terrible disease called Rheumatism, which makes life a daily torture to many thousands.

HAMLINS

WIZARD OIL

is a treatment which affords a positive cure for rheumatism and allied diseases.

Applied externally, it relieves the pain at once. Taken internally, it cures permanently by purifying the blood of the lactic acid which causes the disease.

Anthony Smith, of Mayville, Ill., says: "I had such severe rheumatic pains in my arm and shoulder that I could neither work nor sleep and was fast losing all hope of cure, when I heard of and tried Hamlins Wizard Oil, two bottles of which performed a perfect, permanent cure." Price, 50c and $1.

For sale and recommended by

ALL DRUGGISTS.

THE PEOPLE ALL

In Chorus Cried, Give Us Newbro's Herpicide.

This word of late has been in everyone's mouth, and many are wondering what the word signifies, though no one has yet been found, who will deny that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE does the work. Well, for the information of thousands of people who like to know all about a good thing, we would say that HERPICIDE means, a destroyer or killer of "Herpes." Now "Herpes" is the family name of a disease caused by various vegetable parasites. A similar microbe causes dandruff, itching scalp, and falling hair; this is the microbe that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE promptly destroys; after which the hair grows. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

J. S. Bedford & Co., Special Agents

INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC IN CHICAGO

More Than Twenty Deaths In One Week From Disease.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Influenza is more prevalent and more fatal in Chicago this winter than at any time since the epidemic of 1891, according to the weekly bulletin of the health department. Twenty more deaths from this cause were reported during the week.

Investigations by Dr. Robert B. Preble, a medical inspector for the department, are held to show that there can be no question that influenza, or lagrippe, is the most important factor of the increase of pneumonia and in consequence of heart disease.

Statistics are quote as proof that the deaths from heart disease and from pneumonia have increased at almost exactly the same ratio since 1843. The fact that the germ which causes pneumonia also irritates the membrane covering the valves of the heart is widely commented on.

Sickening Shivering Fits

Of ague and malaria can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure, tonic medicine; of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to quinine, having none of this drug's bad after effects. E. S. Mundy of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malaria fever and jaundice, till he took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. At all druggists. Price 50c, guaranteed.

HOME MISSIONARIES MEET.

Discuss Ways and Means to Assist Them in Their Work.

New York, Jan. 17.—A conference of delegates representing the auxiliary congregational home missionary societies in thirteen northern state with a committee representing the national Orthodox Society met in this city and discussed their differences.

A resolution was adopted declaring that the differences have been found to be less serious than imagined and the desire to come togethr has been deep and lasting, that a solution of the difficulties are at hand and a committee would report its decisions to the parent society. That committee is composed of the Rev. C. S. Dills, of Cleveland; the Rev. Dr. H. P. DeForest, of Detroit; A. H. Wellman, of Boston, and W. W. Mills, of Marietta, O.

Weak Stomach.

A weak stomach is most frequently caused by the overworked and exhausted nervous system.

The power that runs the stomach is the nerve force sent to it from the brain through the nerves. When the nerves are weak or exhausted the supply of energy is insufficient and the action of the stomach is impaired, and results in imperfect digestion—dyspepsia.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine increases nerve force. It strengthens and builds up nerve tissue, gives vigor to the nerves and muscles of the stomach; this produces a healthy activity.

Nervine allays the inflammation, heals the membranes, and makes the stomach strong and healthy. There is nothing that so quickly gives energy to the whole system as Restorative Nervine.

"I can't say enough for Dr. Miles' Nervine. I don't know what it will do for others, but it certainly cured me of stomach trouble, and now I am as well as I ever was. Two physicians failed to relieve me, but in three or four days after taking Nervine I was much relieved. Four bottles made me a sound man, at the cost of $4.00."
JAMES E. HART, Detroit, Mich.

Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

GAINESVILLE'S FAVORITE RESORT.

Alachua Pool Parlors,

C. Bares, Proprietor.

Located in the Porter Block, south side square. Three first-class tables. Good lights, and prompt and courteous service. The public is cordially invited and always welcome.

4 POINTS Worthy of Consideration

RESPONSIBLE COMPANIES.
CORRECTLY WRITTEN POLICIES,
LIBERALITY OF POLICY CONTRACTS
PROMPT PAYMENT OF LOSSES.

We cover these important points and respectfully solicit a share of your business.

Fire, Life, Accident and Health Insurance.

—Agents for the—

Victor Safe and Lock Company

Cincinnati, Ohio.

The "Victor" is the best safe made, and parties contemplating the purchase of a safe, or anything in that line, from a box to a bank vault, will save money by consulting us. Call on or address,

CUSHMAN & HILL,

Information cheerfully furnished. GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

G. S. MERCHANT & CO.

Retailers and Jobbers in

Staple and Fancy Groceries,

Grain, Garden Seed and Fertilizers.

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE. : : : GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

Highest market price paid for Chickens, Eggs and other Produce.

A Complete stock of Hay, Corn, Oats, Flour, Bran, Meal, Cotton Seed Meal and Rye. We handle only the VERY BEST goods at the LOWEST PRICES, and guarantee satisfaction always.

Take The Atlantic Coast Line

FOR ALL EARTHLY POINTS.

North Via Dupont or Jacks'nville East Via Dupont or Jacksonville South Via P. & O. Steamship Line West Via Dupont, or Jack'ville and Montgomery

Rapid Transit and Unsurpassed Service

Time Table in effect Jan. 8, 1905.

Depart For	GAINESVILLE	Arrive From
3:45 p m Daily	High Springs and Intermediate Points	8:30 a m Daily
12:40 p m Daily	Ocala, Leesburg and Tampa, and Intermediate Points	3:40 p m Daily
2:05 p m Daily	Palatka, Daytona, Jacksonville, North, East and West	1:50 p m Daily
12:15 a m Daily	High Springs, Waycross, Savannah, Brunswick, Albany, Atlanta, all Points North, East West	3:15 p m Daily
3:15 p m Daily	Rochelle, Micanopy and Citra	9:55 a m Daily
3:50 a m Daily ex. Monday	High Springs	7:20 p m Daily ex. Sunday

Interchangeable Mileage Tickets, good over 12,000 miles of among the principal railways in the Southern States, are on sale by the principal agents.

Through Pullman sleeper Port Tampa to New York, via Atlantic Coast Line; also via Atlantic Coast Line and Southern Railway.

For complete information, call on

J. A. GOODWIN, Ticket Agent, Gainesville.

Address:
FRANK C. BOYLSTON, Com'l Agt., 138 W. Bay st., Astor Building, Jacksonville, Fla.
W. D. STARK, Trav. Pass. Agt.
H. M. EMERSON, Traf. Mgr., Wilmington, N. C.
W. J CRAIG, Gen. Pass. Agt., Wilmington, N. C.

Gainesville & Gulf Railway Company

THE FRUIT & VEGETABLE ROUTE OF FLORIDA.

Time Table in effect Oct. 23, 1903.

No. 6. Daily Exc't Sunday	No. 4. Daily	No. 2. Daily.	STATIONS.	No. 1. Daily.	No. Daily.	No. 5. Daily Exc't Sun
Lv P M	Lv P M	Lv A M		Ar. P M	Ar A M	Ar P M
7 45	.....	.....	Fairfield	.....	.....	6 00
7 55	.....	.....	Irvine	.....	.....	5 50
8 00	.....	.....	Dungarvan	.....	.....	6 45
8 05	.....	.....	Southside	.....	.....	5 40
8 10	.....	.....	Hickman	.....	.....	5 35
8 15	.....	.....	Lake Simonton	.....	.....	5 30
8 30	.....	.....	Micanopy	.....	.....	5 20
8 38	.....	.....	Tacoma	.....	.....	5 12
8 45	.....	.....	Kirkwood	.....	.....	5 05
8 50	.....	.....	Clyatt	.....	.....	5 00
8 55	.....	.....	Flewellen	.....	.....	4 55
9 03	.....	.....	Wacahoota	.....	.....	4 45
9 15	.....	.....	Rocky Point	.....	.....	4 30
9 45 Ar	.....	.....	Gainesville	.....	.....	4 00
10 00 Lv	6 15 Lv	6 30	Gainesville	9 20 A	9 40 Ar	3 00
11 35	6 40	6 53	Bellamy	8 55	9 10	2 30
12 00	6 55	7 08	Cyril	8 40	9 00	1 50
12 20	7 03	7 12	Graham	8 32	8 52	1 36
12 40	7 15 Ar	7 28	Sampson City	8 20	8 40	1 10
.....	7 52	8 13	Lake Butler, G. S. & F.	7 52	.....	.....
.....	.....	11 00	Jacksonville, J. & S. W.	5 00 p	.....	.....
.....	8 40	8 55	Lake City, G. S. & F.	7 24 p	7 25	.....
.....	.....	3 15 p	Tallahassee, S. A. L.	1 43 p	1 53	.....
.....	11 10	11 10 a	Valdosta, G. S. & F.	4 45 p	5 15	.....
.....	3 40 a	4 10 p	Macon, G. S. & F.	11 20 a	12 45 a	.....
.....	7 25 a	7 45 p	Atlanta, C. of Ga.	7 50 a	9 00	.....
Ar P M	Ar A M	Ar P M		Lv A M	Lv P M	.....

L. E. BARKER, General Superintendent.
J F. HILL, Agent. JAS. M. GRAHAM, President.

DAILY
The Sun

Entered at the Post Office at Gainesville, Fla., as second-clas mail matter.

H. H. McCREARY, Editor and Publisher.
J. A. CARLISLE Associate Editor

JESSE E. BURTZ, City Editor.

OFFICE: PORTER BLOCK.
205 W. MAIN STREET, S. TELEPHONE 43-2

THE DAILY SUN published every morning except Monday, delivered by carrier in the city, or mailed to any part of the United States, postage free, for $5 a year; $2.50 six months; $1.25 three months; or 50 cents for five weeks—strictly in advance.

Reading notices in local column 10 cents a line for first insertion, and 5 cents for each additional insertion.

Rates for display advertising made known on application.

The Twice-a-Week Sun is an eight-page, forty-column paper, published every Monday and Thursday, and contains all the news of the week, local, state and general, and will be mailed, postage free, to any part of the United States or Canada, for $1.00 a year—in advance.

All advertising bills become due after first appearance of advertisement, unless otherwise stipulated in contract. Parties not known to us will be required to pay for advertising in advance. Address, THE DAILY SUN.
GAINESVILLE, FLA.

Only the heartless are hopeless.

The greatest gain of life is the loss of self.

People who have culture are never conscious of it.

Married life on an average lasts but twenty-eight years.

Some girls are shy about marrying men wno are shy of money.

There's many a time when an ounce of silence is worth a ton of talk.

The average depth of the Atlantic is estimated to be about 16,000 feet.

There are men who wouldn't even pay a compliment without taking a receipt.

Some of the recent writers of plays seem to get immorality confused with immortality.

Gen. Nogi intends to see to it that nobody presents him with a house when he gets back to Japan.

Our American Pacific cable enables a whisper in Manila to be almost immediately heard in Washington.

Advices from Venezuela indicate that President Castro will introduce Jiu-Jitsu methods in his diplomacy.

German locomotive engineers receive a gold medal and $500 for every ten years of service without accident.

John L. Sullivan is going on the lecture platform, but it is not thought that he will deliver many on temperance just yet.

Republican grafters are developing so fast that each one is hoping to be obscured by the other, and thus escape the grand jury.

According to one of the secretaries of Andrew Carnegie, his motto is: "Millions for libraries, but not one cent for Mrs. Chadwick."

The speaker of the Colorado lower house has promised not to use his gun for a gavel. We feel hopeful that Colorado is getting civilized.

A Western man claimed to have kissed Mrs. Carrie Nation, though he did not state whether he was kissing a heroine, or doing the act of a hero.

Russia is going to follow our example with Schley and have her greatest fighter tried by a military tribunal. Monarchies are almost as ungrateful as republics.

A writer in a current magazine is puzzled to know why so many young men study law and never practice it. They probably find it helpful in keeping them out of jail.

The inaugural ball having been decided on to be held in the Pension Office, The Boston Globe wants to know if Commissioner Ware's motto, "The Lord Hates a Liar," is to be left hanging on the wall. As this would be offensive to many of the guests it will be turned to the wall for that evening.

The Port Arthur fleet was said to be worth in money, before the beginning of the war, $150,000,000. It is probably worth now just what it will bring for old junk, although it is possible that some of the vessels may be raised and put in commission again. But the $150,000,000 that the fleet represented is all gone, so far as Russia is concerned. And this is but one item in the enormous cost of the great struggle that is being waged in the Far East.

An angry Pennsylvania Republican has kicked over the traces and told a few "frenzied truths" about political affairs in that State. He says: "Senator Quay died with a political mortgage of $500,000 and bequeathed it to his successor; the successor, however, who would stand for it was hard to find. He adds that this is but a five-cent game compared with some that Quay went through with.

A man over in Indiana in returning home from hunting the other day found his neighbor just leaving the house, and being of a jealous nature, drew his gun and filled the man's legs with fine shot. A lawsuit followed and it was learned that the man was there to borrow the local paper. The lawsuit cost $75 and the doctor bill was $25, and $1 would have saved the trouble.

Some rural mail carriers have been dismissed from the service by the postmaster-general because of attempts to influence legislation in the interest of their salaries by direct partisan action. The government has forbidden this kind of "influence" to be used on Congress and congressmen upon the part of its employes.

At a Sunday school meeting in Helena, Mont., a speaker said the children should be taught to act strictly honestly, for even one of his children once asked him if it was wrong to steal from a trust. When the youngster gets a little older he will find it impossible to steal from a trust.

When you hear a man discoursing on his own goodness, and telling how he never made a mistake, failed to perform a duty or keep an appointment, it won't do the least bit of harm to quietly slide your hand down in your pants pocket and get a grip on your pocketbook.

Another Chadwick trunk has been opened, and enough brown paper was found therein to manipulate several million dollars. It is thought that a few more developments will reveal the list of banks she had down for future operations.

We have just found out what has ailed the weather man. Every time Chicago has a blizzard New York has to have a worse one, and the rest of us have to stand for it.

Congress has tackled the problem that concerns the obscurest of us—how to keep expenditures within receipts.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

There's many a woman who may not be beautiful to the one who does not know her, but she is an angel to those who love and reverence her.

After all, we are not sorry we hear the bad things said about us, and we hear enough.

PISO'S CURE FOR
CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS
Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

WILL KEEP OPEN ON SUNDAY.

Lewis and Clark Exposition Will Introduce New Features.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 17.—It has been decided to throw open the gates to all the exhibits at the Lewis and Clark exposition on Sundays.

The management will endeavor to emphasize the educational features as much as possible. A local organization, headed by ministers, educators, philanthropists, and students of advanced thought, will work in conjunction with the maragement of the fair in the matter of Sunday congresses, and the plan is to have the gatherings in the exposition auditorium devoted to discussions and addresses upon education, religion, principles of government charities, corrections, humanitarian laws, etc.

Missing Girl Found Married.

Harriman, Tenn., Jan. 17.—Two weeks before Christmas Miss Linda Edwards, a pretty country girl, left home, presumably to visit relatives in a nearby town. The mother of the young lady suspected nothing until the time arrived for the return of her daughter. When the girl failed to reach home, inquiry was made of the relatives and the fact was developed that she had not been there. Foul play was at once suspected and a party was organized to search for the body. While this was being done, the mystery was cleared by the receipt of a letter from the young lady at Thornton, Wash., stating that instead of going to the home of her relatives she had joined her sweetheart at Thornton and that they were married on Christmas day.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect it.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What To Do.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes.

You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention this paper and don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y.

Home of Swamp-Root.

BIG G CURES in 1 to 5 days. Guaranteed not to stricture. Prevents Contagion. THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO. CINCINNATI, O. U. S. A.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Use Big G for unnatural discharges, inflammations, irritations or ulcerations of mucous membranes. Painless, and not astringent or poisonous. **Sold by Druggists,** or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for $1.00, or 3 bottles $2.75. Circular sent on request.

WHITE'S Cream Vermifuge

THE GUARANTEED **WORM REMEDY**

THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE TONIC.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.
THE GENUINE PREPARED ONLY BY
Ballard-Snow Liniment Co.
ST. LOUIS, MO.
For Sale by W. M. Johnson.

PATENTS

PROCURED AND DEFENDED. Send model, drawing or photo. for expert search and free report. Free advice, how to obtain patents, trade marks, copyrights, etc. IN ALL COUNTRIES. *Business direct with Washington saves time, money and often the patent.* Patent and Infringement Practice Exclusively. Write or come to us at 853 Ninth Street, opp. United States Patent Office. WASHINGTON, D. C.

C.A.SNOW & CO.

Those Awful Headaches

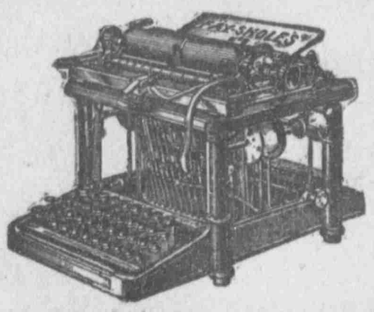
Are sure indications of some form of stomach trouble, biliousness or a bad liver. Malaria will next overtake you. Don't risk it, and above all, don't take calomel or quinine—both are dangerous

HERBINE

has all their virtues—none of their deadly effects. HERBINE taken regularly will forestall headaches, put the digestive organs in perfect condition, head off biliousness, headaches, liver ills, keep you in good health.

TRY IT TO-DAY.
50c a Bottle. All Druggists.

For Sale by Johnson Bros., Gainesville



Fay-Sholes Typewriter

ACKNOWLEDGED THE BEST MACHINE ON THE MARKET

UNIVERSAL KEYBOARD | Has Tabulator —ON— Every Machine.

Lightest Shift! Lightest Running! The Champion Speed Writers of the World Use the Fay-Sholes. More Fay-Sholes in use in Gainesville than any other machine.

For Sale by....
THE SUN, Gainesville, Fla.

ESTABLISHED 1869.

H.F.DUTTON&CO.

—DEALERS IN—

Sea Island Cotton.

Sea Island Cotton Seed, Bagging and Twine. Walrus Leather in Strips or Sides.

Manufacturers of the James Doig Improved English Sea Island Cotton Gin, and Supplies for Same.
GAINESVILLE, . . . FLORIDA, U S A

SEABOARD

Air Line Railway

....FOR....

Savannah, Columbia, Camden, Southern Pines, Raleigh, Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York,

Three Elegant Trains Daily.

Seaboard Florida Limited.
Seaboard Express.
Seaboard Mail.

MODERN PULLMAN EQUIPMENT

The SEABOARD FLORIDA LIMITED is a solid vestibuled train, composed exclusively of new Pullman equipment—Dining Car, Double Drawing-Room Sleepers, Stateroom and Observation Cars—operating between St. Augustine and Jacksonville to New York, via Washington, leaving St. Augustine 12:10 p. m. and Jacksonville 1:20 daily except Sundays.

Only Line Operating
Daily Through Pullman Sleepers from Jacksonville to New Orleans

For full information and sleeper reservations call on any agent Seaboard or write A. O. MACDONELL, Asst. General Passenger Agent, JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA. S. C. BOYLSTON, Jr., Passenger Agent

FIRE, LIFE AND ACCIDENT IN THE OLDEST AND BEST COMPANIES

B. F. JORDAN,

INSURANCE

PORTER BLOCK GAINESVILLE

Send Us Your Next Order for Job Work

will extend congratulations.

VETERANS WILL OBSERVE DAY

General Lee's Birthday Will be Properly Observed Here.

GENERAL LAW WILL SPEAK

Distinguished Confederate Soldier and Veteran of Bartow Will Interest the Veterans and Their Friends at Court House This Morning.

Today is the birthday of the lamented General Robert E. Lee, the greatest hero of the Confederacy.

This occasion is a State holiday, and an occasion in which every Southerner's heart is filled with pride, and everywhere throughout this great Southland there will be impressive exercises to his memory.

In commemoration of the birthday of this great statesman and soldier, Stonewall Camp, Confederate Veterans, of this city, will hold exercises in the court house at 11 o'clock this morning. The exercises will be held in the circuit court room, and promise to be very impressive. Gen. E. M. Law of Bartow has arrived in the city, and by request of the Camp will deliver the oration of the day, after which crosses of honor will be conferred upon the Veterans.

The Daughters of the Confederacy are invited, and also the Grand Army of the Republic, all the schools and the public generally.

J. J. Finley Chapter.

The members of J. J. Finley Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, are requested to meet at the court house at 11 o'clock today, to join the Veterans in their exercises.

MRS. GEO. K. BROOME, Pres.

MRS. AMMONS TO WED.

Will Marry Rev. R. B. Wilmer, an Episcopal Rector of Atlanta.

The Atlanta Journal of the 18th inst. contains the following which will be of interest to the people of this city and section, and in fact throughout the State:

"Dr. and Mrs. N. D. Phillips of Gainesville, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mrs. Kate Phillips Ammons, to the Rev. C. Breckenridge Wilmer, rector of Saint Luke's Episcopal Church, Atlanta, the marriage to take place at Jacksonville, Florida, some time before Lent.

"This announcement will be of interest throughout the South, both parties being prominent. Mr. Wilmer, besides being greatly beloved as a man and pastor, has been in the public eye for some years, as one of the bright lights of the Episcopal ministry. He has long been recognized as one of the greatest forces of the Southern Episcopal Church, being a leader intelectually and spiritually.

"His marriage will be the culmination of a pretty romance of long standing. Mrs. Ammons is very little known in Atlanta, but she will be warmly welcomed.

"Mr. Wilmer and his bride will occupy the old rectory until the new church and rectory on Peachtree are completed."

The marriage to which above reference is made will take place on Tuesday, January 24th, at 8 a. m., at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Jacksonville, Florida, Rev. Edwin G. Weed officiating. After touring the East Coast and Palm Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer will make their home in Atlanta, Ga., where he has officiated for several years as rector of Saint Luke's Parish.

Mr. Wilmer is well known in this section, having been connected with this diocese for some years, and can claim here as elsewhere, hosts of friends and admirers.

Mrs. Ammons is well known in this community, having lived here as Kate Phillips from earliest childhood, and the only regret to be heard in reference to this marriage is that it will remove her from the midst of her friends to whom she is so much endeared, and who cordially wish for both parties all the happiness that life can give.

Bought Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and Sent it to Friends.

Mr. F. W. J. Fletcher, a druggist in Victoria, Australia, says: "A customer of mine was so pleased with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which she had used for her children when suffering from colds and croup, that during a fortnight's time she obtained at my shop, nine bottles, which she sent to her friends in different parts of the State, telling them how much good it had done and advised them to give it a trial." For sale by all druggists.

MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR

REGULATES THE
LIVER,
STOMACH,
BOWELS,
KIDNEYS.

The inventor of the famous "TERRELL SCRAPE," a man known wherever plows are sold and used, says:

"I have used MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR for 10 or 12 years in my family for the stomach, liver and kidneys, and find it is the best medicine I have ever used. It is also a sure specific for pain in the back or under the shoulders. I have recommended it in numerous cases to my workmen, when sick and unable to work, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. H. D. TERRELL, President Atlanta Plow Co., Atlanta."

MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR.

PILOT'S QUICK WIT SAVES BOAT

Menaced by Scow Southfield's Churning Screw Averts Impact.

New York, Jan. 18.—Captain Samuel Kohler, of the Staten Island ferryboat Southfield, by quick work saved his boat from being rammed by a heavily laden scow, and evoked the cheers of the ferry passengers.

The Southfield was ready to leave the South Ferry pier on her 2 p. m. trip, when scow E 39, loaded with dirt and stone, broke away from the Battery pier. Two men on board yelled for help.

Captain Kohler quickly rang full speed ahead, and soon his boat was sent bumping against the bridge of the ferry house. The screw caused a great wash, which forced the scow out in the stream. The heavy overhang of the scow scraped the stern as E 39 was carried past. A tug picked the scow up soon afterward.

Pleasant and Most Effective.

T. J. Chambers, Editor Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes Dec. 25, 1902: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you, I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasantest remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." 25c, 50c and $1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Death of An Infant.

Alfred, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Butts of Rochelle, died in this city Tuesday night, and was buried at Hawthorn Wednesday. The infant had been indisposed for two weeks, and was brought to Gainesville and placed under the constant care of a physician. Everything possible was done for the child, but to no avail, and death came to relieve its sufferings. The fond parents have the sympathy of the community. Robert McClellan, undertaker, had charge of the arrangements.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

R. McCLELLAN
Undertaking Co.

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

Funeral Directors and Licensed Embalmers.

Manufacturers of and Dealers in
Picture Frames, Rubber Stamps, Art Goods, Upholstery, Eastman Kodaks, Cameras, and Photographers' Supplies.

Orders by Telegraph or Telephone will receive prompt attention.

THIS SPACE
BELONGS TO
N. NORTON,
SUCCESSOR TO
MRS. J. A. AMMONS.

FIREMEN OVERCOME BY FUMES

While Fighting Fire In Chicago Fourteen Men Collapse.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—The fire which started in the storage warehouse of Schwartzchild & Sulzburger, Forty-first street and Ashland avenue, last night was still burning today, although under control. The firemen cut holes in the sides and rooms of the building, a 6-story structure, in their efforts to find the fire, and although dense volumes of smoke and ammonia fumes poured out of these apertures, no flames were visible.

The fire was in the sawdust which was packed between the double walls of the building.

Fourteen firemen were overcome by the ammonia and were carried out by their comrades. All will recover. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D.,

Of Waverley, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough, and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25, 50c and $1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Buffalo Ready for the Elks.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 17.—The officers of the grand lodge of the Benevolent and protective order of Elks have completed their works here and departed. The purpose of their visit was to get a line on the arrangements being made by the local order for the annual reunion to be held here during the week of July 10 and to select the grand lodge headquarters. The hotel accommodations were found ample and the grand trustee, Robert W. Brown, of Louisville, expressed himself as well pleased with the work of the local union committee.

Criticized Charity Ball.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—In the Lincoln street Methodist Episcopal church the Rev. William Halford Pierce has declared that "dress parade" is not a real test of charity and that social events like the recent charity ball, where the display of wealth and brilliancy is uppermost, tend to "feed pride rather than the hungry orphans," for whose benefit they were held. He also criticised the large expenditures for such affairs.

Cured Lumbago.

A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniament, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former soldiers." 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Notice of Application for Charter, Etc.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1905, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the undersigned incorporators will apply to His Excellency, the governor of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, Florida, for Letters Patent for the proposed charter given below, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

This 16th day of January, A. D. 1905.

L. R. WOODS,
C. I. BAIRD,
J. F. BUNCH.

CHARTER OF STANDARD FERTILIZER COMPANY.

Article I—The name of this corporation shall be STANDARD FERTILIZER COMPANY. Its place of business shall be Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida.

Article II—The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation shall be to buy, manufacture, sell and barter chemical fertilizers and such other legitimate business as pertains thereto.

Article III—The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars ($75,000.00), divided into seven hundred and fifty shares (750) of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) each. Said stock shall be issued and sold upon such terms and conditions as may be provided for by the stockholders.

Article IV—This corporation shall exist for a period of fifty (50) years.

Article V—The business of this corporation shall be conducted by a president, a vice-president, a secretary and treasurer, and a board of directors of not less than three (3) members, who shall be elected on the first Monday in August of each and every year.

The first election of officers shall be held on the seventh day of August, A. D. 1906. The business of this corporation shall be conducted until the first election and qualification of officers, by L. R. Woods president, C. I. Baird, vice-president, and J. F. Bunch, secretary and treasurer.

Article VI—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation can at any time subject itself shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00).

Article VII—The names and residences of the subscribers hereto are as follows:

L. R. Woods of Gainesville, Fla., 150 shares.
C. I. Baird of Gainesville, Fla., 150 shares.
J. F. Bunch of Gainesville, Fla., 500 shares.

STATE OF FLORIDA,
Alachua County.

Personally came before me L. R. Woods, C. I. Baird and J. F. Bunch, each of whom being to me well and personally known, severally acknowledged that they each are the persons who subscribed their names to the above and foregoing charter, and acknowledged the signatures severally to the said charter to be true and genuine.

Taken and approved before me on this 16th day of January, A. D. 1905.

GEO. M. COLMAN,
Justice of the Peace.

The BIG SALE Will Continue

For the Rest of This Week

A few Ladies' and Children's Jackets left that will be sold for less than cost.

Ginghams	3½c
Check Homespuns . . .	4c
White Homespuns, yd. wide	5c
Yard-Wide Bleaching . .	5c
Good, Full-Size Sheets . .	49c

The tables have been restocked with Towels, Table Linens, Laces, Embroideries, Underskirts, Overskirts, Quilts, Blankets, Comforts, Hosiery, at Sale Prices.

Remember the Sale Continues Until Saturday Night.

G. W. HYDE

"THE BIG STORE."

LAND TITLES...

"The question of Title a first consideration for the investor."

Title is what you pay for when you buy land; therefore know what you are buying.

. . Titles ordinarily invisible correctly revealed to you by . .

The - Alachua - County - Abstract - Company,

Gainesville, Florida.

JAS. M. GRAHAM, President GEO. W. HYDE, Vice-President

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF GAINESVILLE.

THE ONLY CHARTERED BANK IN ALACHUA CO

Capital..... .....$50,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits... 25,000 00

Does exclusively a banking business, with facilities equal to any bank in the State. Solicits the accounts of Farmers, Merchants, Corporations, etc. Interest allowed by special arrangement. All business transacted promptly.

H. E. TAYLOR, Cashier.

GAINESVILLE NURSERIES

Offer for the coming Fall and Winter a choice lot of budded and grafted PECAN TREES of the standard varieties, such as have a good record behind them. Also Fruits, Ornamentals, Etc. Catalogue and "Guide to Successful Pecan Culture" free.

GAINESVILLE NURSERIES, H. S. GRAVES, Proprietor, - GAINESVILLE, FLA.

ABSTRACT & REALTY COMPANY

(Incorporated)

E. E. VOYLE, MGR.

Abstracts of Title and full information furnished regarding lands in this county. Our manager has lived in this county thirty years and is thoroughly conversant with land titles.

E. E. VOYLE,

FIRE, ACCIDENT, BURGLARY AND INDEMNITY INSURANCE. Representing a number of prominent American and English companies.
REAL ESTATE AND CITY LOANS.

Gainesville : : Florida

THE DAILY SUN, 10c a Week.

POLYGAMY DYING OUT VERY RAPIDLY

Judge Miner Predicts A Great Change in Next Decade.

UTAH NO WORSE THAN NEW YORK

Senator Smoot's Trial Still In Progress—Case of Senator Burton, of Kansas, Reversed in Supreme Court, and Will Get New Trial.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Judge James A. Miner, of Salt Lake, formerly of the supreme court of Utah, was called today as a witness in the Smoot investigation before the senate committee on privileges and election. He testified as to Mr. Smoot's good character and his prominence politically in 1890 when Judge Miner went to Utah. Polygamy is dying out so rapidly, said the witness, that he believed Utah would be better in ten years than any state in the union.

"There is no more polygamous or unlawful cohabitation in Utah than there is New York, or in the District of Columbia," he added. Chairman Burrows questioned Judge Miner concerning the extent polgyamy is practiced among the heads of the church. He said it was not generally understood before this investigation that they were continuing the practice of polygamous cohabitation, but that the testimony given had thrown further light on the subject.

Elias A. Smith, of Salt Lake, a Mormon and a member of the People's party (the Mormon party) until it was dissolved in 1891, was the next witness. He denied that at the meeting held for the dissolution of this party instructions were given by the church that certain persons should be Democrats, certain others Republicans and others Independent in politics.

Senator Burton's Case.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The case of Senator J. R. Burton was decided by the supreme court of the United States today dismissing the writ of certiorari to the circuit court of appeals for the eighth circuit, and reversing the verdict of the district court for the eastern district of Missouri on the ground that the payments to Mr. Burton were made in Washington. The district court was, therefore, reversed, and the case remanded for a new trial.

Do Not Suppress a Cough.

When you have a cough do not try to suppress it, but remove the cause. The cough is only a symptom of some disease, and that disease is what you should cure, then the cough will stop of itself. The most common cause of coughing is a cold. Anodynes will promptly suppress the cough, and preparations containing chloroform, opium, etc., are used for that purpose, but they do not cure the cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on the other hand does not suppress the cough, but relieves it by removing from the throat and lungs the mucus which obstructed the breathing and allaying the irritation and tickling in the throat. It also opens the secretions and effectually and permanently cures the cold as well as the cough. For sale by all druggists.

ANNUAL MEETING OF MINERS.

Nearly Six Hundred Delegates Present When Called to Order.

Indianapolis, Jan. 17.—The seventeenth annual national convention of the United Mine Workers of America was opened today by President Mitchell in Tomlinson hall. Nearly 600 delegates were in their seats, representing every one of the 25 districts. The largest delegations were from the central districts.

Reports from the districts show a shortage in work compared with previous years. In Indiana the average has been less than three days in the week. It is said that present conditions will tend toward a further reduction in wages were there a scale to be fixed this year.

The approaching joint conference of the central Pennsylvania district at Altoona is being considered with some anxiety by the mine workers.

It is believed the operators will endeavor to force a heavy reduction in the scale. The convention is expected to take some action anticipating such a condition.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard of 209 W. 35th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had salt rheum, or eczema, for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. Twenty-five cents at all druggists.

SPECIAL SALE

OVERCOATS and SWEATERS

MARCUS ENDEL,

The Clothier.

In midwinter, and in the height of the season, we are offering Special Bargains in Overcoats. High Grade, First-Class Quality and New Goods.

Our Famous $18.00 Long Raglan now	$13.75
Our Fine $15.00 Long Thibet now	11.35
Our Excellent $12.50 Long Beaver now	9.15
Our Splendid $10.00 Long Heavy Weaves now	7.95
Our Good $8.00 Long Brown Weaves now	6.50

Sweaters! Special Reductions in Every Grade. My Big Stock MUST be Closed This Season.

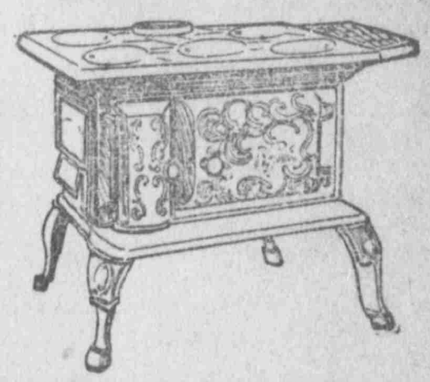
MARCUS ENDEL,

Outfitter to Particular People. GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

Pocket and Table Cutlery.

Stoves, Ranges

and Heaters.



Ammunition and Guns.

A varied selection of Carvers, Triple Plated and Solid Silver Pieces.

Largest Sellers in Florida of American & Ellwood Woven Wire Fences

Chattanooga Plows

The Prize Winners at the St Louis Exposition

Baird Hardware Co.,

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

KEYSTONE BAKERY,

R. T. SCHAFER, Prop.

Corner Grove and Cypress streets.

Phone 165 P. O. Box 543

GAINESVILLE, FLA.

CHOICE BREADS, CAKES and PIES

Fresh Every Day.

Delivered to All Parts of City.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

JOS. ZAPF, Jacksonville, Fla.

Wholesale Whiskies, Imported Liquors, Ale, Stout and Ginger Ale, Imported and Domestic Wines and Mineral Waters, Etc.

Anheuser-Busch Beers, Draught and Bottled

THE BLUE LABEL, FAUST,

BUDWEISER, KING OF BOTTLED BEERS.

Absolute satisfaction guaranteed or money cheerfully refunded. Write for price list.

SAVE MONEY BY ORDERING GOODS FROM JOSEPH ZAPF.

MAY APPEAL TO HIGHER COURT

Plea Is Based on the Fourteenth Amendment.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 18.—In the criminal court of Jefferson county this afternoon a local attorney, representing a negro prisoner charged with murdering another negro, sought to have an indictment quashed upon the grounds that not a single negro was on the county grand jury which returned the true bill. The plea, which was based on the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States, was overruled by the presiding judge.

If the jury finds the negro guilty, the case will be appealed to the supreme court of the United States, to determine whether or not it is necessary for grand juries of the several counties to have negro members.

C. C. VOYLE,

Bicycles and Electrical Goods,

Brown House Corner,

Gainesville, - - Florida.

Bicycles repaired and all kinds of material furnished for bicycles, electric lights, bells and telephones.

CHICAGO AND FLORIDA LIMITED

Via Louisville & Nashville R. R.

Only solid Pullman train with observation and library cars from Florida to St. Louis, Chicago, the West and Northwest with much quicker time than by the way of any other line.

All meals in dining car—service a la carte. Finest dining car service in the South.

Leave St Augustine daily, 8:20 a. m.
Leave Jacksonsville daily, 9:30 a. m.
Arrive Chicago next day, 4:30 p. m.
Arrive St Louis next day, 1:35 p. m.

Also through Pullman drawing-room sleeping cars daily from Jacksonville on A. C. L. 8:05 p. m. train to Birmingham, Nashville, St Louis, Chicago and S. A. L. 8:55 a. m. train to Pensacola, Mobile and New Orleans.

If best service is desired ask for tickets via L. & N.

For rates, Pullman reservations, etc., call on or write George E. Herring, Florida Passenger Agent, Jacksonville, Florida, 206 West Bay street.

BUSINESS CARDS

DR. DEVERE B. MORRIS,

....DENTIST....

Office over Marcus Endel's. All work guaranteed.

J. A. CARLISLE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

And Solicitor in Equity

Real Estate, Conveyancing and General Practice. All business promptly attended to. Office next door to Sun office. GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

FERDINAND BAYER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

GAINESVILLE, - - FLORIDA.

Can sell your city property, (improved and unimproved), phosphate, trucking and farming lands. Send him a list of what you offer for sale. 2142m.

W. E. BAKER,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

...SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY....

GAINESVILLE, Alachua Co., FLA.

Office in Endel Block.

DR. J. H. ALDERMAN,

DENTIST.

[Successor to Seigler & Alderman]

Over Dutton & Co's Bank. Gainesville

Special attention to Crown and Bridge work. Phone 70-3.

DR. GORDON B. TISON

DENTIST.

Graduate Baltimore College Dental Surgery. Five years' experience in New York City. Crown, Bridge work and Filling Specialties. ALL WORK GUARANTEED. Office in Miller Law Exchange. GAINESVILLE, FLA.

THE WEST END,

FINE WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

JOHN MENZIES, Proprietor.

219-221 W. Bay st., Jacksonville, Fla.

Faust beer, bottle and draught. Don't fail to call on me when in Jacksonville

CRYSTAL SALOON,

Frank Gardner, Prop'r.

Jacksonville, - - Florida

Best Imported and Domestic Liquors and Wines in the city.

MAX KRAUSS,

Representing

E. A. WEIL & CO., Savannah Georgia

WHOLESALE SHOES

Of All Descriptions.

Sole Agents for MONARCH and SOVEREIGN QUALITY Shoes. Every pair warranted.

J. Manasse, - - Agent

Mathushek Pianos,

NOTED FOR SWEETNESS AND PURITY OF TONE, POWER AND DURABILITY.

Best piano for this trying climate, stands in tune longer than others, constructed best materials, and most artistic workmanship obtainable. Up to date in every detail and Unequaled.

Sold by us continuously for

OVER THIRTY-TWO YEARS

without a single failure. If you want a piano for a lifetime's service buy the

Mathushek!

Prices as low as is consistent with quality Cash or on easy terms. Sent on 15 days' trial. We pay freight. Write for prices TODAY.

Ludden & Bates

Southern Music House,

SAVANNAH, - - GA.

JOHN D. MURPHY, Mgr.

ESTABLISHED - - 1870

GAITHER & BRYAN, State Ag'ts,

TAMPA, FLORIDA.

Why Not Learn to Speak Spanish?

You can secure a copy of the new edition of booklet entitled, "What to Say in Spanish and How to Say It," by sending two cents in postage to W. H. Leahy, division passenger agent, Atlantic Coast Line railroad, Savannah, Georgia.

where ... will extend congratulations.

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING.

Brownsville, Tex., Citizens Are Indicted by Jury.

Galveston, Tex., Jan. 17.—The federal grand jury has just returned indictments against several prominent citizens of Brownsville charging them with smuggling.

The persons involved are influential citizens of that place. It is alleged that smuggling has been carried on upon an extensive scale, the operators using Mexicans to transport their goods and securing enough profit upon the articles smuggled to be able to pay the Mexicans' fines when the latter were arrest and jailed. Several special agents of the treasury department, including B. Parker, the chief of the special agents of the United States, have been here giving testimony regarding the alleged violations.

The names of the persons indicted will not be made public until after their arrest, which has not been effected.

CREW RESCUED IN MIDOCEAN.

Men Were Starving and in a Half Demented Condition.

Los Angeles, Jan. 17.—Captain F. K. Fall, of the British ship Lonsdale, 150 days out from Newcastle-on-the-Tyne, which had dropped anchor at Port Los Angeles, tells a story of picking up 26 castaways at sea who had been drifting about near Capt Horn for over a week.

The condition of the men was pitiful. The thin, emaciated sailors wept with joy when rescued, and several were in a frenzied condition for days. They had abandoned the British collier Elvlon, which had burned at sea.

The Lonsdale had rounded the horn when late in the day a small boat was sighted. A white rag tied to the end of an oar was being waved frantically in the air, and, as the boat drew near, the faint calls of the starving men were heard.

FAMILY DIES IN FLAMES.

Home of Prominent New York Lawyed Destroyed by Fire.

New York, Jan. 17.—William T. Mason, a lawyer, and his family, consisting of wife and two children, Ellen 4 years old, and Marion, 6 months old, with a servant, Annie Wells, lost their lives in a fire which partially destroyed the brownstone dwelling occupied by them early this morning.

Although neighbors say they heard cries of "murder" and "burglars," the police found nothing to indicate that the fire was not accidental. The whole family appears to have been suffocated. The bodies of the father and youngest child were untouched by the flames, and those of the other were probably burned after they had died.

Servant 107 Years Old.

Baltimore, Jan. 17.—Messrs. Alexander Yearley & Sons send to London every six months a sum of money to be paid to Henrietta Johnosn, a negro woman who is said to be more than 107 years old and who was for many years a servant of the late Marchioness of Wellesley, who was one of the three Caton sisters of this city and a granddaughter of Charles Carroll, of Carrallton. From what can be learned, the Johnson woman went from this city to England about 60 years ago, and for ten years prior to the death of the Marchioness lived at Hampton Court palace.

Whisky Cause of Tragedy.

Tifton, Ga., Jan. 17.—Ben Wilson, white, was shot and killed by Henry Dean, white, at Enigma, 10 miles east of Tifton, last night at 8 o'clock. Wilson and Dean had a quarrel, in which whisky played a part, and Wilson cut Dean on the arm with a pocket knife. Both parties went home for their guns, and when they met Dean fired first, shooting Wilson in the left leg, below the knee. Wilson bled to death, living about two hours after being shot. A coroner's jury found a verdict of homicide. Neither man has any family, Wilson leaving a mother.

Arrested for Big Robbery.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 18. Some weeks ago Rudolph Rabens, a German grocer of Charleston, was arrested by the federal authorities charged with complicity in the Kingstree postoffice robbery several months ago. His bond was fixed at $5,000. Saturday afternoon postoffice inspectors went to Charleston and arrested his brother, Christopher Rabens, on the charge of being implicated in the case. The latter will be brought at once to Columbia for trial.

Grand Duchess Caroline Dead.

Weimar, Jan. 18.—The Grand Duchess Caroline of Saxe-Weimar died today of inflammation of the lungs, caused by influenza. She was born in 1854.

A BAD DISORDER

In the fall of 1895 I contracted that fearful disease, Blood Poison. It gained such headway that I was forced to resign my position and seek relief at Hot Springs. After spending all the means I had I went to Memphis. In less than three weeks I was in a hospital, and after nine weeks of suffering I was discharged as cured. In less than a month every bone in my body seemed to be affected and felt as if they would break at the least exertion. Again I was compelled to resign, and I returned to the hospital for a seven weeks stay. When I came out I was advised to try farming. When I first went on the farm I prevailed on the only firm who handled drugs to get me one dozen bottles of S. S. S. At that time both of my hands were broken out with blisters and I was covered with boils and sores. In the meantime my druggist had gotten two dozen bottles of S. S. S. for me and I began its use, and after taking the thirteenth bottle not a sore or boil was visible. R. B. POWELL.
East 9th St., Little Rock, Ark.

Of all human diseases, Contagious Blood Poison is the most hideous and hateful. The victim is tortured with eating ulcers, sores and abscesses, unsightly blotches, eruptions and other symptoms of the miserable disease. S. S. S. has been used successfully for nearly fifty years for Contagious Blood Poison. It contains no mercury, potash or other mineral. Our home treatment book gives all the symptoms of this disease. Medical advice free.

SSS

The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

BIG STRIKE MAY BE SETTLED.

Mine Owners Yielding to Part of the Workingmen's Demands.

Essen, Germany, Jan. 17.—The coal strike will probably be settled by the mine owners yielding a small part of the workmen's demand now, thus allowing them to win a moral victory with the understanding that the other portions of their demands will be considered and acceded to later if possible.

The prospect of a general prolonged strike dismayed the industry, and the government sought to bring about a compromise. The strikers were not eager to fight to a finish in midwinter, the extreme cold throughout Germany having affected the strokers' spirits. Therefore, the feeling has suddenly become general that it is better to accept a moral victory with some small material gains than to persist with the accompanying privation. The strike is by no means actually settled yet, but the mine owners and the strike leaders are appreciably near a provisional agreement. All the liquor stores in the strike districts are closed by police order at 6 o'clock in the evening.

Found a Cure for Indigestion.

I use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for indigestion and find that they suit my case better than any dyspepsia remedy I have ever tried and I have used many different remedies. I am nearly fifty-one years of age and have suffered a great deal from indigestion. I can eat almost anything I want to now.—GEO. W. EXORY, Rock Mills, Ala. For sale by all druggists.

EDWARDS'

OPERA HOUSE

ONE NIGHT ONLY!

Thursday, January 19.

Admission, 25, 35 and 50c.

The Funniest Comedian in America.

John Thompson.

Will appear in his Original Vaudeville Entertainment, entitled

Around the World in 80 Minutes

During the performance Mr. Thompson will introduce 10 Comical Characters in 10 Special Acts.

Sixteen Songs will be sung that were written especially for the entertainment. Solos will be introduced on the following instruments: Violin, banjo, piano, clarinet, cow's horn, Lilliputian violin, Chinese fiddle, etc.

As a dancer Mr. Thompson is not surpassed; he will execute reels, jigs and "hoe downs."

If you enjoy Funny Stories, Mr. Thompson is the comedian who has them in abundance.

N. B.—You will be obliged to laugh whether you wish to or not.

Reserved Seat Tickets on sale at W. W. AVERA'S.

W. B. DAWSON

WINES AND LIQUORS

Jacksonville, Florida.

MONOGRAM

Pure and Old

Maryland Rye Whiskey

Per case.....$8 00
Per bottle..... 75
Per gallon..... 3 00

Carried in stock. All the leading brands. Send for Price List.

DR. GOLDSTEIN

Will Return to Gainesville

—ON—

Monday, Jan. 23,

For a few days only. Room 30 and hotel parlors, Brown House. Examination and consultation free. Office hours from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

THE GAINESVILLE

PRESSING CLUB

117 West Union Street.

ALTERING, REPAIRING, DYEING, CLEANING AND PRESSING

....For Ladies, Gentlemen and Children....

ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

You receive prompt and good attention from people who know their business. Your monthly membership or piece work solicited. One trial makes you a regular customer.

ALACHUA COUNTY....

Alachua county is 806,400 acres in area, has 248 miles railroad, 900 miles wagon road, 56 postoffices, 123 public schools, 27 phosphate plants, 20 saw mills, $75,000 court house, five newspapers, and produces corn, cotton, rice, sugar, oats, rye, potatoes, pineapples, oranges, peaches, pears, plums, pecans, and all kinds of vegetables.

Gainesville, the County Seat....

Has fourteen churches, two public schools, the East Florida Seminary, private schools, three newspapers, United States land office, the best water, fire alarm system, electric and gas lights, two ice factories, machine shops, three wood factories, cotton gin, two moss factories, three railroads, two fertilizer manufacturing companies, one fiber manufactory, one rectifying turpentine plant, two banks, and well stocked stores embracing everything in the commercial line.

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R. R.

Fastest Time and Finest Service to All Points

North, West and Northwest

Through Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars daily from Jacksonville to Birmingham, Nashville, Evansville, Chicago, St. Louis, Pensacola, Mobile and New Orleans.

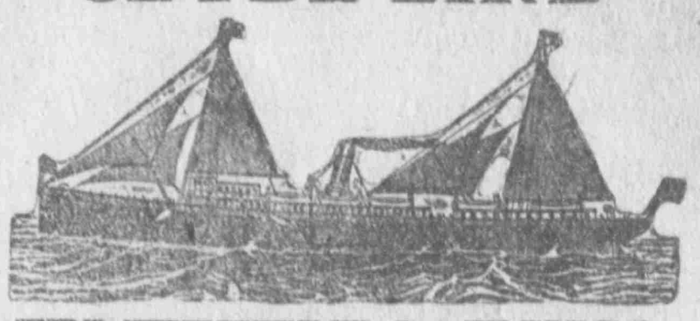
Finest Dining Car Service in the South. Elegant Free Reclining Chair Cars. Route of the famous "Chicago and Florida Limited." Be sure your tickets read via L. & N.

For rates, schedules and sleeping car reservations apply to

GEO. E. HERRING, Fla. Pass. Agt.,
206 W. Bay St., Jacksonville, Fla

Advertise in The Sun.

CLYDE LINE



TRI-WEEKLY SAILINGS

BETWEEN

Jacksonville and New York,

Calling at CHARLESTON, S. C., both ways.

The Finest Steamship in the Coastwise Service

Clyde New England and Southern Lines

Direct Service Between JACKSONVILLE, BOSTON and PROVIDENCE and All Eastern Points, Calling at Charleston both ways.

SEMI-WEEKLY SAILINGS

Southbound.....From Lewis' Wharf, Boston
Northbound.....From Foot of Catherine st., Jacksonville

Clyde St. Johns River Line

Between JACKSONVILLE and SANFORD

Stopping at Palatka, Astor, St. Francis, Beresford (DeLand), and Intermediate Landings on St. Johns River

Commencing Tuesday, November 15, 1904,

Steamers "CITY OF JACKSONVILLE" and "FRED'K DeBBARY"

are appointed to sail as follows: Leave Jacksonville daily except Saturdays at 3:30 p. m. Returning leave Sanford daily except Sundays at 9:30 a. m.

Southbound. Read down.	SCHEDULE	Northbound. Read up.
Leave 3:30 pm	Jacksonville	Arrive 2:00 am
8:45 pm	Palatka	Leave 8:00 pm
3:00 am	Astor	3:30 pm
4:30 am	St. Francis	2:00 pm
	Beresford (DeLand)	1:00 pm
Arrive 8:30 am	Sanford	9:30 am
10:00 am	Enterprise	10:00 am

GENERAL PASS. AND TICKET OFFICE, 122 W. BAY ST., JACKSONVILLE

F. M. IRONMONGER, JR., Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., 122 West Bay st., Jacksonville, Fla.
W. G. COOPER, Jr., Freight Agent, Foot of Hogan street, Jacksonville. C. P. LOVELL, Superintendent.
A. C. HAGERTY, Gen. East'n Pass. Agt., New York. CLYDE MILNE, Gen. Frt. Agt., New York
THEO. G. EGER, General Manager. WM. P. CLYDE & CO., General Agents,
Chesebrough Building, 19 State street, New York

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL.

THE NATIONAL FINANCIAL DAILY NEWSPAPER. . . .

Reveals the News and Facts governing Values.

Studies underlying causes of Market Movements.

Reviews, analyzes and criticises Railroad and Industrial reports.

Has complete tables of Earnings of Properties.

Quotes active and inactive Stocks and Bonds.

Records the last sale of Bonds and the yield on Investments at the price.

Answers, without charge, inquiries concerning Investments.

One who daily consults THE WALL STREET JOURNAL is better qualified to invest money safely and profitably and to advise about investments than one who does not.

—PUBLISHED DAILY BY—

DOW, JONES & CO.,
44 Broad Street, New York.
THE OLDEST NEWS AGENCY OF WALL STREET.
$12 a Year, $1 a Month.

INVESTORS READ THE WALL STREET JOURNAL

When in Need of

JOB PRINTING

Send Your Order to

THE SUN JOB OFFICE.

Established 1878

H. F. DUTTON & CO.

BANKERS.

Do a general banking business, buy and sell Foreign and Domestic Exchange. The accounts of banks, bankers, corporations, farmers, merchants and others received on favorable terms. Special facilities for making collections on all accessible points in the United States.

GAINESVILLE FLORIDA

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

Insure with Cushman & Hill.

Simonson's Wonderful Salve for sale by J. W. McCollum & Co.

Cane seed—25,000 for sale. J. N. Bone, Gainesville, Fla. 2w-daw

Miss Murrie Futch of High Springs was shopping in the city yesterday.

Chas. Whittier of Kirkwood was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

B. W. Fontaine of Micanopy was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Mrs. J. N. Strobhar has returned from a pleasant visis to friends in Savannah.

Actual war scenes at the High School Auditorium, Friday night, Jan. 20.

For Sale—Drug store and practice established eighteen years. Address Sun office. 9t

G. B. Bryant, a progressive citizen and farmer of Traxler, was trading in the city yesterday.

J. M. Shipman, the lumber manufacturer of Archer, was in the city on business yesterday.

F. D. Warner has gone to South Florida on a business trip. He expects to be absent several days.

B. J. Milligan, a naval stores operator of Mascotte, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

P. H. Barker, the naval stores operator of Campville, was transacting business in Gainesville yesterday.

Wanted—To rent a good upright piano for several months. Address, with terms, P. O. Box N., Gainesville, Fla.

T. H. Cato and charming daughter, Miss Alice, of Alachua were among those favoring Gainesville with a visit yesterday.

A. McDavid of LaCrosse was among the visitors to this city yesterday. He called at The Sun office and renewed his subscription.

For Sale—New Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, f. o. b. factory or Gainesville. Apply at this office or 303 East Liberty street. dwtf

After spending the holidays with his mother and friends here, Harry Pearce has returned to Atlanta, where he is attending the dental college.

After a brief visit to his family in this city, J. E. Futch has returned to Alachua, where he is extensively engaged in the mercantile business.

R. W. Small of Hague was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. Mr. Small was elected justice of the peace of his district at the last election.

Rev. W. S. Duncan of Micanopy and George Byles of Windsor were among the visitors to the county capital yesterday. The latter is a prominent merchant of his town.

Mrs. Lizzie Howell, Miss Mattie Gray and Mrs. Ola Holmes, all of Palatka, arrived in the city yesterday, and for the next few days will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ford.

The John H. Sparks Show in every way more than met its every promise, pleasing audiences made up of Meridian's best people.—Meridian (Miss.) Daily Times, Jan 22, 1904. Will exhibit at Gainesville, Saturday, Jan. 21.

Hon. Fred S. Cubberly, collector of customs for the ports of Cedar Key and Port Inglis, passed through the city yesterday en route north on business. Col. Cubberly is well known here and was kept busy shaking hands with his friends for a while.

The supper to be given at the opera house tomorrow night by Kirby Smith Chapter, U. D. C., is for the benefit of the memorial fund. The menu will comprise everything good to eat, and in addition to the supper market and candy booths will be a feature of the entertainment.

Jesse Clark, the hustling salesman for the Roundtree Trunk and Bag Co., Richmond, Va., departed yesterday for Ocala and other points in South Florida in the interest of the firm. Mr. Clark is regarded as one of the most successful on the road, and frequently receives letters of congratulation from his employers.

OTHER NEWS ITEMS PAGE 3

Insure with Cushman & Hill.

The Jap War "as she is fought" at the High School Auditorium, Friday night, Jan. 20.

J. H. Higbee of Waldo, route agent of the Southern Express Company, was at the Brown House yesterday.

Wanted—Cook for family of eight, out-of-town. Good salary paid. Address P. O. Box 307, or 107 North University St. 6t

A. B. Padgett, a merchant of Grandin, Putnam county, was in the city Tuesday, having come for the purpose of consulting Dr. J. H. Alderman in regard to some dental work.

J. M. Shaw of Alachua was in the city yesterday. He brought a quantity of fine home-make sausage, spare ribs and backbone, which he managed to dispose of quickly at good prices.

L. A. Stewart, the clever traveling representative of the Southern Moline Plow Works of New Orleans, is at the Brown House. He must be a clever fellow, since he is quite popular among his traveling companions.

Mrs. Jackman and daughter of New York City have arrived, and will spend the winter here. They are pleasantly located at the home of Mrs. B. F. Jordan, North Oak avenue. It is to be hoped they will be well pleased.

Mr. Wm. S. Crane of California, Md., suffered for years from rheumatism and lumbago. He was finally advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which he did and it effected a complete cure. This liniment is for sale by all druggists.

Sparks' Show is known the world over for its honesty and upright dealings as well as always giving a good, clean and moral show. Take the children to Sparks' Show to see the little baby lion and pretty little ponies at Gainesville, Saturday, Jan. 21.

For Sale—For the purpose of extending its line, The East Florida Telephone Company offer, for a short while, a few shares of its capital stock at par, shares ten dollars each. This company has just paid its January dividend at rate of ten per cent per annum. Apply to E. E. Voyle, Gainesville, Fla. tf

Miss Ida Redding, who departed for her home at Mosely Hall a few days ago with the expectation of returning shortly to Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga., to resume her studies, has returned to the city, and her young friends will be delighted to know that she has decided to enter East Florida Seminary.

John Thompson is a type of comedian who stands in a class by himself. He is too versatile to have any imitators. He can produce more fun to the square inch than any comedian we have ever seen. As a musician he is an accomplished artist; as a comic singer he is all that could be desired. He can also "pay the ivory" to beat the band. His dancing in the Yankee character is the funniest thing ever seen here and will be appreciated.

Attention, Kirby Smith.

The annual meeting for Kirby Smith Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held at the home of the president Thursday morning, January 19th, 1905, at 9:30 o'clock.

There will be an election of officers and a full attendance is desired.

MRS. H. H. MCCREARY, Pres.
MRS. J. N. STROBHAR, Sec.

Attention, U. D. C.

The annual meeting of the J. J. Finley Chapter, U. D. C., will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. G. K. Broome.

MRS. G. K. BROOME, Pres.
MRS. J. L. KELLEY, Rec. Sec.

READ THIS.

Ripley, Tenn., June 1, 1901.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis Mo.—Dear Sir: Having tried various remedies without satisfactory results, I was persuaded to give your "Texas Wonder" a trial. I have used one bottle, and although my case is one of long standing that baffled the skill of the best physician, yet it yielded at once to "The Texas Wonder," which I heartily recommend to all suffering from kidney and bladder troubles.

Yours truly,
W. H. BRUTON,
Pastor Baptist Church, Ripley, Tenn.

A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

Insure with Cushman & Hill.

C. V. McQueen of Lexington was trading in the city yesterday.

Go to the Russo-Jap War, Friday night, Jan. 20, at the High School Auditorium.

E. F. Pomroy, the clever representative of the J. K. Orr Shoe Company of Atlanta, is at the Brown House.

A dime social will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClellan Friday evening for the benefit of the Baptist church, further mention of which will be made later.

When bilious try a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and realize for once how quickly a first-class up-to-date medicine will correct the disorder. For sale by all druggists.

James Holder and J. D. Pope, the merchants and naval stores operators of Rochelle, were in the city yesterday. They came for the purpose of purchasing a number of mules for their turpentine farm.

Miss Gussie Edgar of Fernandina has arrived in the city and will make her future home here, having accepted a position with W. H. Lipscomb, manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Compay. Miss Edgar is experienced in the business, having before been employed by the Singer company. It is hoped she will be well pleased here.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell, who for the past few months have been residing at 208 West Church street, have removed to Jacksonville, which city they will make their future home. They made many friends here who regretted exceedingly to see them leave. Mr. Blackwell has been connected with the naval stores department of the Cnmmer Lumber Company.

The following is from The Post, Houston, Texas: "The opera house was well filled last night with an appreciative audience to witness the comedian, John Thompson, in his original vaudeville entertainment, "Around the World in 80 Minutes." Mr. Thompson is a great favorite here and is always sure of a hearty welcome. To those who never saw him before he is a genuine surprise. Mr. Thompson will appear at the opera house tonight.

NEW YORK
RACKET
"Cheapest Store on Earth."

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR OUR ADV.

PHIFER BROS.,
Phifers' Corner.

...WILSON'S...

..The Sale of..
Ready-to-Wear Goods
Will Continue
Until All Are Sold.

A BIG LOT OF
Waists, - Kimonas, Shirtwaist Suits and Furs
Still Being Sold at
.HALF PRICE.

MRS. R. WILSON.

See the Russo-Jap War at the High School Auditorium Friday night, Jan. 20.

John Videon of Archer was in town yesterday. Mr. Videon states that things commercially at Archer are lively, and that the merchants are enjoying a good trade.

Don't pay other printers their prices for printed stationery that you can get at The Sun office for about one-half what they charge. We employ no solicitors and save commissions, etc., to the consumer. See price list in another column.

Dr. M. H. DePass, R. B. Hodgson and B. F. Walker formed a jolly trio of Archer folks who visited Gainesville yesterday. Dr. DePass states that he has just finished the setting of ten acres on his place in pecan trees. These trees are of the Jacox variety, are three years old, and he anticipates that they will be bearing in three years.

Among the visitors to this city yesterday was J. W. Sinquefield of Kirkwood, postmaster and merchant of that progressive village. Mr. Sinquefield came here from Mississippi a few months ago and purchased the mercantile interests of J. R. Emerson. He is well pleased with his new home, and proposes to make his home here for the remainder of his life. Mr. Sinquefield has been appointed agent for The Sun, and is authorized to solicit and receipt for subscriptions.

W. D. Morton of Eve, one of the cleverest, biggest-hearted fellows in the world, was in the city on business yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call. Mr. Morton was formerly engaged in phosphate mining, but relinquished his "rights" to this occupation to follow trucking. He has a nice farm, comprising all kinds of good things in vegetables, and expects to realize a good thing financially from his crop. If he gets what he deserves he will not be disappointed.

Hon. N. R. Carter of Levyville, State Senator-elect from Levy county, is in the city as a guest of his son, W. P. Carter. Mr. Carter was stricken with paralysis about five months ago, since which time he has been partially helpless. His friends, however, will be glad to learn that his condition is greatly improved. He is also affected with catarrh of the stomach, and came here for the purpose of consulting medical aid. It is hoped that his visit will result in relief.

Clever Henry Goldburg, representing the Globe Tailoring Company, Cincinnati, was at the store of Marcus Endel yesterday taking orders for the spring and summer line. Mr. Goldburg has the satisfaction of representing one of the finest and most reliable tailoring houses in the country, and, with his clever manner, enjoys a fine trade. There are customers in Gainesville for whom he has been taking regular orders twice each year ever since he has been coming here, and they are so well pleased that they will inconvenience themselves to wait for him. Mr. Goldburg has made many friends personally here.

Notice.

Strayed or stolen, one small black mare about six years old. Branded "Z" on shoulder. A liberal reward will be given anyone returning her or for any information of her whereabouts. J. J. Leitner, Geiger, Fla.

T. F. THOMAS
Undertaking Co.

FULL LINE OF NEW GOODS.

Personal attention to all matters in this line. Mail and telegraph orders promptly attended to.

Gainesville, . . Florida

SEE SMITH'S WELL MOUNTS

All New and Artistic.

A FINE CALENDAR PHOTO given with every dozen cabinets. All the old standard styles and many new ones.

SPECIAL MOUNTS for E. F. S., School Children and Babies.

Fine Fadeless Fotografs
From Locket to Life Size.
SMITH'S STUDIO.

THE CONTINENTAL
CAFE-RESTAURANT.

(First corner South of Postoffice).
Open Until Midnight. Drip Coffee.
Western Meats.

Cash Grocery Co

Buy for Cash With Discount.
We Sell the Same Way.

Can save you money on A L L your purchases—whether large or small.

SEE US AND BE CONVINCED.

J. R. EMERSON & CO.
J. R. EMERSON, Manager.

Reduced Prices
—FOR—
Printed Stationery

We will employ no solicitor for Job Printing during 1905, and will give customers the benefit of his expenses. We quote:

1,000 7-lb. Note Heads	$1.75
1,000 Envelopes	2.00
1,000 Statements	1.75
1,000 10-lb. Letter Heads	2.50
1,000 6-line Bill Heads	1.50

All other printed stationery at proportionately low prices.

Cash Must Accompany Your Order.

THE GAINESVILLE SUN,
GAINESVILLE, - - FLORIDA

W. H. SIBLEY,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
115 East Main St., North.
GAINESVILLE, - - FLORIDA

The Gainesville Sun.

Published Twice a Week--Monday and Thursday

VOL. XXIV. NO. 50 GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1905 ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

SKIRMISH REPORTED AROUND MUKDEN

Russians Lose Five Officers and Forty Soldiers.

JAPANESE OUTFLANK RUSSIANS

State of Siege Not Renewed in Manchurian Cities by Czar's Men—Japanese Cruisers Captures Dutch Vessel Loaded With Coal.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—General Kuropatkin, telegraphing yesterday to Emperor Nicholas reported an attempt of a strong Japanese detachment of infantry, cavalry and artillery to cut off the column of General Mitschenko's cavalry Jan. 14, as the latter was about to retire northward.

The Japanese, under cover of a mist, outflanked the Russians. A battle ensued. The Russian cavalry inflicting losses on the Japanese at short range and then retiring. The Russian losses were five officers and 40 men killed or wounded.

General Kuropatkin also reported the return of a Russian patrol after blowing up the railroad and destroying a mile of telegraph 2 miles north of Ta Tchekiao.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—The government has not renewed the state of siege in Manchurian cities at the opening of the new year, civil law in such places replacing military rule. The Russian papers protest against the imputation that General Mistchenko's cavalry violated Chinese neutrality, even if, of which there is at present no evidence, they crossed the Liao river above New Chwang, claiming that a small strip on the west bank is distinctly reserved as included in the sphere of hostilities.

While the daring cavalry raid on the line of the Japanese communications was welcomed as a heavy augury of the operations of the new year, the general staff does not give encouragement to the idea that it was a precursor of a serious Russian movement.

Japanese Capture Dutch Vessel

Tokio, Jan. 17, 2:30 p. m.—A Japanese torpedo boat destroyer captured the Dutch steamer Wilhelmina, which was carrying Cardiff coal to Vladivostok in the Tsushima straits, Monday and brought her to Sasebo. A first-class armored cruiser is being constructed at the naval docks at Kure.

THREE SUMMER HOTELS BURN

Fire at Rockaway Beach Destroys $200,000 Worth of Property.

New York, Jan. 18.—Three summer hotels and six cottages of summer residents were burned at Rockaway Beach today, causing a loss of $200,000.

The hotels were the Waldorf, Germania and Columbian. The largest of these was the Germania, which had 100 rooms. None of the hotels was occupied except by caretakers. The blaze started in the Waldorf and before fire apparatus could be summoned it seemed as though the beach for a long distance would be swept clean of hotels and cottages. Hope of saving the Waldorf was quickly abandoned, and efforts were made to save the other two hotels, but the heat was so intense that the firemen could only fight the blaze from a distance.

Embezzler Gets Ten Years.

Washington, Jan. 18.—James M. A. Watson, a clerk in the auditor's office of the district government, who was accused of embezzling $72,000 and recently convicted on two indictments involving $12,826, was today sentenced to ten years' imprisonment in the penitentiary. The court overruled his motion for a new trial.

Couldn't Blow Safe Open.

Lafayette, Ala., Jan. 18.—The Bank of Lafayette was entered by robbers last nlht. The vault door was blown open and the burglars tried to blow open the safe, containing about $20,000, but failed No money was secured.

KILLED BY MEXICAN BANDITS.

Wealthy Man Murdered by Half-Breeds in Mountains.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Ira A. Sanger, a relative of Mrs. George M. Pullman, of Chicago, has been slain by Mexican half-breed bandits in the mountain wilds of Sinaloa, Mexico.

Robbery was the purpose of the murder. Mr. Sanger, who was well known in Chicago, although for the greater part of his life a resident of Colorado, had been in the northern section of Mexico along the Texas border for three years interested in mining and ranches. His companion in these ventures was George L. Stewart, of Chicago, who has just reached El Paso, Tex., with news of the murder. The victim probably was ambushed, Mr. Stewart reported.

Mr. Sanger was well to do, having property and investments worth, according to the El Paso estimate, between $40,000 and $80,000. He usually carried a considerable sum of money with him, but Mr. Stewart declares he had but a small amount at the time of the attack.

Mexican rurales were sent out after the murderers. Mr. Sanger was about 35 years old.

WILL ESTABLISH LOAN OFFICES

Retail Clerks' Association to Protect Members from Sharks.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Taking the cue from the Cigarmakers' union, the Retail Clerks' National Protective association will attempt to protect its members from loan sharks by the establishing of loan agencies at the headquarters in the various large cities, where the union men can get money without interest.

This plan has been announced by Max Morris, international secretary of the association, who has arrived from Denver, the headquarters of the union. The plan is to use the funds in the association's treasury for this purpose. If a member is out of employment and needs money he will state his case to the local officers of his union. His case will be investigated and if he is found worthy he will be given $100 without interest for a stated period. If he does not pay back promptly he will be blacklisted and kept from working. The Retail Clerks have 1,050 locals and a membership of 50,000.

SPY IN AN AMERICAN FORT.

Private Soldier Missing, Together With Drawings and Papers.

Baltimore, Jan. 18.—Private Peter G. Emmett, a clerk at headquarters at Fort McHenry for several months, and now alleged to be an English spy, has been missing since last Wednesday evening. A number of drawings of the fort and other papers are also gone. The police suspect that he has left the country.

Emmett enlisted at Fort McHenry a little more than a year ago. He gave his residence as No. 38 South Greene street, this city, and said that his nearest relative was George Emmett, color sergeant of the Twenty-ninth infantry.

Emmett was at one time in the British army. He came into public notice some time ago when it was stated that a number of maps and drawings found on the street had been shown to him and identified by him as accurate reproductions of fortifications at Gibraltar. Emmett said that he had formerly been stationed at Gibraltar.

TRASHY BOOKS THROWN OUT.

Public Libraries of Brooklyn Will Exclude Objectionable Literature.

New York, Jan. 18.—Public libraries in Blooklyn have determined that neither the morals nor the literary tastes of their people shall be contaminated if thew can prevent. Orders have been sent to the branch libraries, nine in number, that all questionable or trashy books shall be withdrawn from circulation and submitted at once to the director.

Those volumes considered positively bad and unfit for perusal in any home will be destroyed, excepting one volume in each instance, which will be preserved at the main library.

Other books which the director may consider suitable only for persons of mature ages will be held up for written applications.

HOUSE WILL VOTE ON SWAYNE CASE

Famous Impeachment Trial Is Now Before Congress.

OTHER NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

There Was a Tendency To Take Up the Swayne Case at Once—Favorable Report Is Made on New Shipping Bill.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The house agreed before proceeding with the Swayne impeachment debate today to begin voting on the articles of impeachment at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Palmer endeavored to secure a vote at 4 o'clock today. Mr. Gillette (Cal.) objected on the ground that several members who had prepared to speak on certain phases of the case would be cut off. Mr. Gillette made a request for a vote tomorrow which was finally agreed to. First, however, Mr. Macon (Ark.) objected.

"It seems to me," he remarked, "that the gentleman from California is trying to run this whole case himself and when I see that tendency, I always object."

He was induced not to insist on his objection.

Mr. Lacey occupied ten minutes in further discussion of the $10 a day expense appropriation, drawing this conclusion that an impeachment ought not to be voted on this ground.

The house committee on merchant marine and fisheries today authorized a favorable report on the shipping bill reported to congress by the merchant marine committee.

The president today sent to the senate the following nominations:

Commissioner of immigration—Robert Watchorn, at the port of New York.

Surveyor general of Louisiana—Jas. Lewis.

Postmaster—James R. Carr, at Birmingham, Ala.

BIG FIRE IN CRESCENT CITY.

Handsome Club House Destroyed by Flames—Fire Chief Hurt.

New Orleans, Jan. 18.—The Athenaeum, the handsome club house and hall of the Young Men's Hebrew association in St. Charles avenue, the Clio Street Evangelical church and some surrounding property, were destroyed by a fierce fire early today.

M. J. Fass, steward of the club, is missing. Elbert Hubbard lectured in the hall last night to a large audience. Some hours after the stage burst in flames.

The fire spread rapidly and the loss on the Athenaeum and equipment is stated by President Newman to be $70,000. Other losses bring the aggregate to $100,000.

During the fire Chief O'Connor, while standing on a shed in the rear of the burning building, was knocked down by flying debris and painfully hurt. Later an examination by physicians of Chief O'Connor showed that his collar bone was broken and that his injuries were serious.

Pleads Guilty of Fraud.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 18.—Ike L. Robertson, of Abbott, Ala., pleaded guilty to using the mails to defraud, and was remanded for sentence. His intended victims were the Putnam Manufacturing company, of Baxter, Tenn., and the Worthelmer-Swarts Shoe company, of New Orleans, to whom he sent orders for goods to be shipped to his pretended place of business at Abbott, Ala., where he claimed to be a dealer in dry goods, groceries, hardware and medicines.

Prize Fighters Raided.

New York, Jan. 18.—A remark overheard on an elevated train by a detective led to a police raid early today on a hall in West Thirty-eighth street, where a prize fight was in progress. Thirty-six persons were captured, including Charles McNally, of Providence, R. I., and "Jack" Kenny, of this city, who are alleged to have been the principals.

ADVANCE MONEY ON COTTON.

Texas Bankers Will Loan Farmers $25 Per Bale.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 18.—Colonel E. S. Peters, president of the National Cotton Growers' association, stated tonight that he had received from a well known southern banking firm an offer to advance $25 on every bale of cotton in Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma territory.

Inasmuch as the arrangements are not yet complete, Mr. Peters refused to divulge the name of the firm making the offer, but he declared that it was a thoroughly reliable and responsible banking institution of the south. The plan proposed is that the cotton shall be placed in the custody of trustees who will pay the money, and see that the cotton is stored in a warehouse acceptable to insurance companies. The cotton is not to be sold until the owner is willing.

Colonel Peters stated that the details would be arranged this week, and that at present the bankers were only figuring on whether the project would require $12,500,000 or $25,000,000.

THREE YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Ex-Postmaster Must Serve Term for Forgery.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 18.—The United States court of appeals, sitting at New Orleans has confirmed the sentence of ex-Postmaster Charles A. Piercher, of Choctaw Bluff, Ala.

At the last term of the United States district court, sitting at Mobile, Piercher was convicted of forgery in connection with some contracts for carrying the United States mails, and was sent by Jurge Coulmin to three years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta. In several similar cases, where a negro was the chief witness, he was acquitted.

In this case he was convicted on the testimony of M. G. Candee, a prominent merchant of Choctaw Bluff, who was shortly afteryards assassinated an investigation clearing Piercher of any connection with the crime, he being on bail at the time.

He will be taken to Atlanta to begin serving his term.

LARGE BLAZE AT JACKSON, GA

Only Good Work Saved Buildings on Public Square.

Jackson, Ga., Jan. 18.—Part of the business portion of Jackson is smoldering in ruins from a fire which broke out Monday afternoon from a defective flue in the Hotel Jackson.

The brick hotel and store rooms adjoining and the residence of the late Dr. R. G. Bryans, occupied by J. M. Allen, was totally consumed. The furniture of the hotel was partially destroyed. One store room contained among household goods, many valuable mementoes and keepsakes of Dr. Bryan and his Knight Templar sword which was highly cherished by his daughter, to whom it had been presented. All is a complete loss. Another store room was packed with groceries of the Jackson Mercantile company.

It took the combined efforts of the citizens to save the buildings on the square.

Request Reprieve for McCue.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 18.—John Lee and Tinsley Colgman, of Lynchburg, and Burnley Sinclair, of Charlottesville, counsed for J. Samuel McCue, who is to be executed Friday for the murder of his wife, went to Richmond today to ask Governor Montague for a reprieve. A petition is being circulated here by George E. Walker, Sinclair's partner, asking the governor to grant a respite for such time as he thinks proper. Over 200 business and professional men have signed the petition. Mr. McCue asks this in order to arrange his business matters.

Texas Vegetables Killed.

Waco, Tex., Jan. 18.—The cold weather of the past few days has killed all of the fall truck vegetables in central Texas and up and down the Brazos valley. Orders have been placed by local commission men for vegetables from south Texas. The cold was followed by heavy frost, which completed the work of destruction.

NIEDRINGHAUS IS FULLY EXONERATED

Finding of Committee In Favor of Republican Leader.

HIS ACTIONS FAIR AND HONEST

Representatives Casey and O'Donnel File a Minority Report—Neidringhaus Did Not Contribute $21,000 to Republican Campaign Fund.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 18.—The majority report of the committee on the Niedringhaus investigation was read in the lower house today in the presence of a large crowd. The findings of the committee exonerate Mr. Niedringhaus and say that his explanation of the contribution of $21,000 attributed to him are satisfactory.

The report says in part:

The action of Mr. Niedringhaus, so far as investigation of your committee is concerned, which investigation was full and fair, was honest and above criticism.

The report adheres to the declaration that the contribution was to the Republican city campaign committee of St. Louis; that Niedringhause did not contribute $21,000 to that fund, and that he filed no such statement with the recorder of deeds because he was acting treasurer of the city committee. It seems that as chairman of the state committee Neidringhaus filed a statement, including the $21,000 which was properly credited to him, and that Adolfus Busch guaranteed him $2,500 and Otto Stifel guaranteed him $3,250 of the said amount; that no money was contributed by brewers to influence legislation, and with explanations of Niedringhau, in regard to this $21,000, was satisfactory.

Representatives Casey, of Jackson, and O'Donnell, of St. Louis, Democratic members of the committee, filed a minority report, along the lines of the senate committee's report made yesterday. Casey moved to substitute the minority repor for the majority report.

After the motion to adopt the minority report had been seconded by Representative Whitecotton (Dem.), of Monroe, a motion was made to have the Niedringhaus testimony read.

All Opposition Withdrawn.

St. Louis, Jan. 18.—A special from Jefferson City, Mo., says: All opposition on the part of the Kerens forces to the election of Thomas K. Nieldringhaus for United States senator to succeed Mr. Cockrell, has disappeared. Representative Grace, of St. Louis, one of the leaders of the movement against the Republican state chairman, declared at noon that the fight was at an end, and that he would second the nomination of Mr. Neidringhaus.

AFTER CAMPAIGN BOODLERS.

Missouri Officer Getting Evidence About Election Contributions.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 18.—Circuit Attorney Arthur Sager has made a hurried trip here from St. Louis, caused, it is said, by developments in regard to the investigation into campaign fund contributions. When asked as to his official position and probable action in the matter he said:

"I have only this to say: If the facts justify proceedings under section 7176 of the revised statutes of 1899, I will institute them."

The section 7176 to which Mr. Sager referred, provides that it shall be unlawful for any corporation to influence or attempt to influence the result of any election in the state or to procure the elecion of any person to a public office.

Negro Freezes to Death.

West Point, Ga., Jan. 18.—Brown McCarden, a negro employed by the city, was found dead Sunday morning in the rear of Alford's saloon. The coroner's jury has decided that he was too drunk to get up from where he had fallen and as a result froze to death.

MR. HODGE LOST HIS COLD LUCRE

Knocked Down, Dragged Over Palmetto Roots and Robbed

BY A FOURTEEN-YEAR-OLD LAD

Was En Route From Newberry to Alachua and Got Into Trouble When He Stepped Into a Phosphate Pit to Light a Pipe—His Story.

It is certainly a hard proposition to be accosted in an isolated spot, at 11 o'clock in the morning, by a fourteen-year-old lad, knocked down, dragged over several palmetto roots and finally made to "cough up" every cent you can squeeze out of your clothes—but this thing has happened, and Hon. Chas. Hodge of Alachua, during the last campaign a candidate from Alachua county to the Lower House, and who made a most remarkable record by his wonderful campaign speeches, was the victim.

Another disgraceful and humiliating feature of this outrage was the fact that the boy was a negro, and had never received a formal introductien to Mr. Hodge, who would naturally have refused one had that formality been offered.

Mr. Hodge was a visitor to Gainesville Monday and relates his own experience, which cost him $4 60 and a rubber stamp. He stated that he was en route from Newberry to Alachua, walking. The distance is only a before breakfast sprint for this athletic aspirant for political honor, being only twelve or fourteen miles. While about half-way between the places he stepped down into an unused phosphate pit to light his pipe, when he was suddenly accosted by this burly negro youth.

"Good morning; it's a nice day we are having," said Mr. Hodge, with a desire to be pleasant.

"Hello," was the response. "I'm a detective. Who are you?"

At this remark Mr. Hodge admitted that he "got scared," and his form trembled like a muscle dancer doing a turn in a half-busted street fair association.

"My name is Hodge—Charlie Hodge"—he remarked as politely as the condition of affairs would permit. "I'm from Alachua, and have been over to Newberry on a little court business."

"Well, I want your money or your life, and if you fool with me I'll take 'em both," was the startling assurance of the butt-headed boy, as Mr. Hodge declares he grabbed him in the collar, threw him violently to the ground, and, not content with that, dragged him in the collar, threw him over several palmetto roots, tearing his clothes almost beyond repair. This act being concluded he opened an ugly-looking knife and forced Mr. Hodge to produce his pocket book, containing $4.60, and a rubber stamp, after which he left the form of Mr. Hodge lying upon the ground, cautioning him if he ever told he would send him to a worse place than the Legislature.

Mr. Hodge was perfectly earnest in relating the story of this incident, which he said occurred about 11 o'clock Saturday. "You know $4.60 is a heap of money for a poor man to lose, especially in this way, and I don't appreciate it a bit," he concluded.

Mr. Hodge states that, notwithstanding he has resided in that section all his life, he did not recognize the party nor did he ever remember seeing him before. He has notified the officers of the incident, furnishing a description of the man.

ARE ENJOYING FINE TRADE.

Gainesville Planing and Coffin Mills Making Big Shipments.

The Gainesville Planing and Coffin Mills, one of the largest and most important maufacturing industries in this section, is enjoying a fine business in the coffin trade, making large consignments to various sections of the State almost daily.

The Gainesville Planing and Coffin Mills was established here about a year ago. It is composed of a number of the leading business men of Gainesville and other sections, and employs a large force of skilled workmen.

Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you need to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them. At all druggists, 25c, guaranteed.

MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR

REGULATES THE
LIVER,
STOMACH,
BOWELS,
KIDNEYS.

The inventor of the famous "TERRELL SCRAPE," a man known wherever plows are sold and used, says:

"I have used MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR for 10 or 12 years in my family for the stomach, liver and kidneys, and find it is the best medicine I have ever used. It is also a sure specific for pain in the back or under the shoulders. I have recommended it in numerous cases to my workmen, when sick and unable to work, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. H. D. TERRELL, President Atlanta Plow Co., Atlanta."

MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR.

TUESDAY'S FIRE.

Ignited in Third Story of Witherspoon House, But No Damage.

An alarm of fire was turned in at 11:30 o'clock Tuesday morning from Box 43, which summoned the department to the Witherspoon boarding house, an immense structure located on West Arlington street.

The nearest alarm box to the scene of the conflagration was on South University street, two blocks away, with the result that considerable delay was occasioned in turning in the alarm. The department responded promptly, however, but upon arrival of the hose companies it was reported that the flames had been extinguished with little damage.

The fire originated from a defective chimney, it is said, on the third floor of the building, but fortunately was discovered before gaining much headway. Had the incident occurred at night the loss of life and property would no doubt have been great, since the house is well filled with guests at this season.

Had a Big Hunt.

P. M. Oliver, one of the pioneer hunters and sportsmen of this section, and Mr. Jones of New York, have returned from a week's hunting and fishing trip to Shell Mound and Gulf Hammock.

Mr. Oliver is very much accustomed to this class of sport, making sometimes as many as three or four trips a year. He always enjoys them, but this being his companion's first experience in the wilds of a Florida hammock, where big game abounds in abundance, he was perfectly delighted.

Messrs. Oliver and Jones killed a bear, two deer, four wild turkeys and any amount of squirrel, quail and other game, to say nothing of the tremendous "hauls" of fish and delicious oysters. Mr. Oliver good-naturedly declared that his companion ate so heartily that he became sick, and they were compelled to return home a day or two earlier than they expected.

The hunting is fine in the Gulf Hammock now, and a great many sportsmen are taking advantage of the opportunity for sport. The fishing on the Gulf is also good, and oysters were never in better condition or more plentiful.

Off to Grand Lodge.

Past Grand Master Marcus Endel, A. M. Cushman, S. G. D., and W. B. Higdon will represent Gainesville at the session of the Grand Lodge of Masons, which will convene in Jacksonville. Mr. Higdon, who is Worshipful Master of Gainesville Lodge No. 41, F. & A. M., will represent the lodge, while Messrs. Endel and Cushman will attend in their official capacities. Mr. Higdon departed Monday, and will be followed by the other two gentlemen today.

The Gainesville delegation anticipates a big time, as is always the case upon these occasions.

Mr. Gerald Will Build.

Gainesville may add another fine building to the long list of contemplated improvements, J. B. Gerald having decided to erect a handsome residence on the lot recently acquired, East Main street, N.

The contract has been let, and C. E. Whiting expects to begin work at once. The structure will be two stories, and will contain seven rooms and a bath. It will be modern in every respect, and a possession of which the owner may well feel proud.

NEGRO SHOOTS WHITE MAN.

A Lynching Is Rumored in Case Victime Dies.

Dallas, Ga., Jan. 16.—Joe Arnold, son of F. P. Arnold, of Brownsville, a prosperous farmer and highly respectable citizen, was shot by Jeff Duncan, a negro, at Lost Mountain, 9 miles from here, just over the line of Cobb county.

Arnold was manager of Judge A. L. Bartlett's store at that place and was a very prominent young man of that section, both in a business and social way.

It is said two negroes walked into the store drunk and begun a disturbance which resulted in the shooting of the proprietor by one of the negroes.

The ball took effect in the breast of Arnold and grave fears are entertained of Arnold's recovery.

The negro escaped but a party of men are ready to take the negro and lynch him, it is rumored, in case the young man dies.

This makes the second shooting affair in almost the same section in less than one month, the former victim being killed instantly.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Aged Woman Meets Tragic End In Her Home.

Columbus, Ga., Jan. 16.—Miss Avis Harper, aged 75 years, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her home at the foot of Pine mountain, a few miles from Chipley, Ga., information of which has been received here.

Miss Harper lived alone and a Mr. Chambers, who rented her farm, went to her home daily to attend any wants that she might have. When he arrived in sight of her home on Monday morning he saw that it was in flames, and the roof had fallen in by the time he reached it.

The charred remains of the unfortunate woman were found in the ruins.

It is stated that the deceased left a will in which she bequeathed her property to the Methodist and Baptist churches, one-half to each, although she was not a member of either one.

Spoiled Her Beauty

Harriet Howard of 209 W. 35th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had salt rheum, or eczema, for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. Twenty-five cents at all druggists.

Periodic Pains.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are a most remarkable remedy for the relief of periodic pains, backache, nervous or sick headache, or any of the distressing aches and pains that cause women so much suffering.

As pain is weakening, and leaves the system in an exhausted condition, it is wrong to suffer a moment longer than necessary, and you should take the Anti-Pain Pills on first indication of an attack.

If taken as directed you may have entire confidence in their effectiveness, as well as in the fact that they will leave no disagreeable after-effects.

They contain no morphine, opium, chloral, cocaine or other dangerous drugs.

"For a long time I have suffered greatly with spells of backache, that seem almost more than I can endure. These attacks come on every month, and last two or three days. I have never been able to get anything that would give me much relief until I began the use of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pils, and they always relieve me in a short time. My sister, who suffers the same way, has used them with the same results." MRS. PARK. 721 S. Michigan St., South Bend, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it fails he will return your money. 25 doses, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

CHARLES C. SMITH,
Palatka, Fla.

SPECIAL PRICE LIST.

Hunter Rye XXX	$1 50
XXXX	2 00
Gold Medal	3 00
Old Baker	3 50
Royal Seal	4 50
Lewis '66	5 00
Corn Whiskey	1 50 to 3 00
Gin	1 50 to 4 00

Case Goods at lowest prices. Extra charge for jugs: ½-gal., 10c; 1-gal., 15c; 2-gal., 25c. We will allow price charged for jugs returned to us.

Goods boxed if desired. 6-15-w6m

You Know . . .

The value of a good name and high reputation for quality.

We have them both.

You Know . . .

The largest buyer can sell the cheapest—can give more quality for the money. *We are the largest exclusive Furniture house in Middle Florida, and give more for the money.*

You Know . . .

The time to buy Furniture is when the stock is complete—not wait until all is picked over and take the leaving. *Buy NOW.*

We Underbuy--Undersell

All competitors; let us convince you of this today. Just investigate—our prices will bear out this assertion

Not Yesterday, Not Tomorrow,
BUT TODAY.

See Us.

Gainesville Furniture Comp'y,

Gainesville, Florida.

West Main Street.

Gainesville Foundry and Machine Works.

Iron and Brass Castings, Locomotive and Machinery repairs. We guarantee good work and prompt delivery at reasonable prices. Located in South Gainesville on S. A. L. and G. & G. Railroads.

GAINESVILLE NURSERIES

Offer for the coming Fall and Winter a choice lot of budded and grafted PECAN TREES of the standard varieties, such as have a good record behind them. Also Fruits, Ornamentals, Etc. Catalogue and "Guide to Successful Pecan Culture" free. : : : : : : : :

GAINESVILLE NURSERIES, - H. S. GRAVES, Proprietor, - GAINESVILLE, FLA.

YOUR MONEY BACK

—If the Goods Don't Suit.

THAT IS OUR MOTTO AND WE LIVE UP TO IT.

Rye Whiskey:	PER GAL.	Corn Whiskey:	PER GAL.
Copper Distilled	$1 65	N. C. White	$1 65
Queen City	2 00	N. C. Better	2 00
Sunny South	2 50	N. C. Fine	2 50
Gilt Edge	3 00	Laurel Vally	3 00
Pedigree	4 00		
Overholt	4 00		

DIPLOMA RYE====PER GALLON $4.00

WE HAVE OTHERS. WRITE US.

J. J. WILLIAMS,

P. O. Box 401. JACKSONVILLE, FLA. 211 W. Bay St.

THE WEST END IS AGAIN PROSPEROUS

Country Once Devasted by Wind Again Coming to the Front.

THE PEOPLE HAVE MONEY

Have Made Good Crops, and Have Plenty Laid By for a Rainy Day and Plenty to Sell—Merchants Are Also Enjoying Their Share of Prosperity.

Tax Collector W. D. Dickinson and Tax Assessor W. W. Colson returned Tuesday from the West End, where they have been for the past week in their official capacities.

"I was born and reared in the West End," remarked Assessor Colson, "and I want to say frankly that, as a rule, I have never seen the people of that section in a more prosperous state. This does not apply to any particular section, but every section that we visited. The farmers have been blessed with exceptionally good crops, especially in corn, cotton, meat and other staples, and as a result the majority of them not only have plenty stored away to last them until another season, but have had products to sell. They all have money, and the merchants are enjoying a good trade. The naval stores and other interests are also in the flower of prosperity, and money is more plentiful than I have seen it in the West End for many years."

It will be remembered that several years ago the West End was visited by a severe cyclone. Immense trees, which had stood for ages, were blown up by the roots or twisted off like matches, and carried in some instances nearly a mile by the frantic wind. The houses of prosperous farmers were blown from their foundations and wrecked, leaving hundreds of families helpless and destitute in the track of the storm, with nothing about them but desolation. The good people suffered as they had never suffered before, but with that grit and determination which has made the West End a power to be felt, notwithstanding that they had discouragement staring them in the face, they went at once to work to rebuild their homes and establish themselves in the line of progress—and now the reaction has come. They deserve commendation and credit.

As the best evidence that the people of the West End are prospering, Mr. Colson stated that Collector Dickinson enjoyed one of the most successful collection tours since his induction into office. In former years after the storm, the residents of the western section of the county, not through choice, but through necessity, begged for extension of time for the payment of taxes. Now they come promptly and smilingly to the collector, and it seems a satisfaction and a pleasure to them.

Assessor Colson states that his trip was also very successful, having been successful in securing a great many returns.

HAVING A BIG TIME.

Hunting Party at Kanapaha Captured Four Foxes First Day's Hunt.

The party of distinguished Atlanta gentlemen who are enjoying a hunt under the clever guidance of Sheriff Fennell in the vicinity of the Haile homestead near Kanapaha, are having a "gay old time," if one is to judge from the reports which are coming from the scene of action.

It will be remembered that this party, comprising General Superintendent Huger of the Seaboard Air Line, Dr. J. B. S. Holmes, City Attorney W. P. Hill of Atlanta and other prominent gentlemen, with sixty hounds, arrived in Kanapaha on a private car Sunday, and early Monday began their fox hunt. Sheriff Fennell, the pioneer fox hunter of this section, was along, and it was not long before the party had captured four fine foxes.

The party will remain until Friday or Saturday, and expect to bag lots of game.

The Judge Was Busy.

His Honor Judge H. G. Mason has had little to do for the past few days, but matters took a turn Tuesday, and the genial Judge was called upon to perform two marriage ceremonies, which he did with usual grace and dignity. Both parties were colored.

On Monday evening His Honor, at his home, united in the holy bonds of matrimony T. L. Goodwin and Ozena Ward, white. Both these young people are very popular in the West End, where they reside, and their friends will extend congratulations.

ANAEMIA

is thin blood. It causes pale faces, white lips, weak nerves and lack of vitality. A blood-enriching, fat producing food-medicine is needed. Scott's Emulsion goes to the root of the trouble, strengthens and enriches the blood, and builds up the entire system. For anaemic girls, thin boys, and enfeebled mothers, it is the standard remedy. It builds up and strengthens the entire system with wonderful rapidity.

We'll send you a sample free.
Scott & Bowne, 409 Pearl St., New York.

ODD FELLOWS' HOME.

Many Arrivals and All Enjoying Their Sojourn.

Last week there were a number of new arrivals and the rooms are being filled with guests.

George A. Floding and wife of Huntington, W. Va., are here for the winter, and both are pleasant people. Mr. Floding is a P. G. and P. C. P. of the Odd Fellows and a P. C. of the K. of P. lodge of his home city. He also publishes The Odd Fellows' Advocate and manufactures regalia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Marsh and son, who have been guests for some time, will commence housekeeping this week in the Brown House Annex.

Col. A. E. Whittemore of Bowling Green, Ky., is taking on avoirdupois and his fine bass voice is coming back to him.

We will soon have a fine mixed quartet and be able to furnish music on all occasions. Mesdames Smith, Wilcox and Floding are all getting their voices in fine condition.

Our worthy matron, Mrs. D. G. Edwards, is quite busy these days caring for the sick and the other guests, but the neat and tidy appearance of the Home, as the older guests are disposed to call it, makes it one of the most cheerful places in Florida.

J. C. Byars left on Monday for a business trip along the East Coast, to be gone about two weeks.

Miss. Florence Wilcox, who is here with her mother for the winter, expects to attend the public school during their stay here.

C. D. Schafer, the sculptor, has developed a taste for photography, and on Monday took a snap shot of the Home with all the guests on the porch. If the picture is a good one it will be a great card for his camera, such a variety of beauty being presented.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Card of Thanks.

The ladies of the J. J. Finley Chapter, U. D. C., wish to thank the Guards through Capt. Layton for the use of the opera house; Major Wheeler and Capt. Zewadski for their kindness in selling tickets and acting as ushers; to the press for courtesies extended, and to the public for its liberal patronage.

Sickening Shivering Fits

Of ague and malaria can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure, tonic medicine; of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to quinine, having none of this drug's bad after effects. E. S. Mundy of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malaria fever and jaundice, till he took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. At all druggists. Price 50c, guaranteed.

JAPANESE ENTER PORT ARTHUR

Nogi Takes His Position and Reviews His Troops.

THE SURRENDER UNNECESSARY

Correspondent Says Stoessel is Blamed for Not Holding Out Months Longer—Proposals for Surrender First Made December 29th.

Headquarters Third Japanese Army, Port Arthur, Jan. 14, via Tien Tsin, Jan. 16.—The victorious Japanese army yesterday formally entered Port Arthur. General Nogi, with his staff entered first through the old town and took his stand in the public square of the new town. The army was represented by one regiment from each brigade.

The procession, which was five miles long, was three hours passing the saluting base, after which the troops passed out of the city through the new town. The correspondents then visited the captured city for the first time. The old town buildings were badly smashed by shells, but in the new town the damage was slight. All the shipping in the harbor was badly damaged by shell fire, the warships being practically useless owing to the injuries they had sustained by shells.

Proposals for the surrender of Port Arthur were first made December 29, at a council of war. General Stoessel was in favor of surrender, but some of his general officers were bitterly opposed to it. The regimental officers and the troops were not consulted.

The first news they had of the surrender was January 1, after General Stoessel had communicated with the Japanese.

A Grim Tragedy

Is daily enacted in thousands of homes, as death claims, in each one, another victim of consumption or pneumonia. But when coughs and colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds, which cured her, and today she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One nose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and $1,00 by all druggists. Trial bottles free.

Has Sold His Farm.

Allen Goolsby of Monteocha was among the visitors to this city yesterday. He reports the temperature severely low yesterday morning, and fears that the cabbage crop in his section has been damaged.

Mr. Goolsby has recently sold his place, comprising two hundred acres of timber and fifty-five acres under cultivation, to J. B. Johns, who will take possession at once. He expects to remove with his family to Wauchula, DeSoto county, where he will engage in farming and trucking.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

T. F. THOMAS

Undertaking Co.

FULL LINE OF NEW GOODS.

Personal attention to all matters in this line. Mail and telegraph orders promptly attended to.

Gainesville, . . Florida

PATENTS

Promptly obtained, or FEE RETURNED. 25 YEARS' EXPERIENCE. Our CHARGES ARE THE LOWEST. Send model, photo or sketch for expert search and free report on patentability. INFRINGEMENT suits conducted before all courts. Patents obtained through us ADVERTISED and SOLD, free. TRADE-MARKS, DESIGNS and COPYRIGHTS quickly obtained.

Opposite U. S. Patent Office, WASHINGTON, D. C.

D. SWIFT & Co.

SEND US YOUR ORDERS BY MAIL.

B. H. LEVY, BRO. & COMPANY,

SAVANNAH, GEORGIA.

The - Largest - Mail - Order - House

For Men's, Women's and Children's READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS

IN THE ENTIRE SOUTH.

FOR MEN.
Clothing, Hats, Underwear and Furnishings.

FOR WOMEN.
Tailored Suits, Skirts, Jackets, Furs, Waists, Furnishings.

FOR BOYS.
Clothing, Hats, Underwear and Furnishings.

FOR GIRLS and CHILDREN.
Dresses, Reefers, Cloaks, Underwear, Etc.

☞ We send goods by express C. O. D. with privilege to examine before accepting.

☞ We cheerfully send two or three styles of any garment for selection.

Write for our complete Fall and Winter Catalogue.

CHARLES BLUM & CO.,

—DEALERS IN—

Whiskies, Wines and Liquors

Nos. 517-519 BAY STREET, JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA.

Agents for Pabst Milwaukee Beer

Export, per bbl, 10 doz, $11; per doz, $1.25
Blue Ribbon, per bbl, 10 doz, $12; per doz, $1.50

Jung's Cincinnati Red Heart Beer.

Per bbl, 10 doz, $9; per doz, $1.

We pay freight or express charges on the following liquors:

LEWIS 1866, Away Above Everything in the Whisky Line:
4 full quarts 5 00
12 full quarts 12 75

BLUM'S MONOGRAM, 10 Years Old:
4 full quarts 4 20
12 full quarts 12 00

EARLY TIMES, Pure Sour Mash Whisky:
Bottled in Bond Under Government Supervision.
4 full quarts, del 4 00
6 full quarts 5 50
12 full quarts 10 75

BLUM'S SYLVAN GLEN, 7 Years Old:
4 full quarts . 3 20
6 full quarts . 4 50
12 full quarts . 9 00

SHERIDAN CLUB:
4 full quarts 2 75
6 full quarts 4 00
12 full quarts 8 00

We are dealers in everything in the Liquor line Whiskies, Gins, Rum and Wines from 1.50 to 6.00 per gal.

ABSTRACT & REALTY COMPANY

(Incorporated)

E. E. VOYLE, MGR.

Abstracts of Title and full information furnished regarding lands in this county. Our manager has lived in this county thirty years and is thoroughly conversant with land titles.

E. E. VOYLE,

FIRE, ACCIDENT, BURGLARY AND INDEMNITY INSURANCE. Representing a number of prominent American and English companies.
REAL ESTATE AND CITY LOANS.

Gainesville : : Florida

GAINESVILLE
The Sun

Entered December 31, 1902, at Gainesville, Fla., as second-class matter, under Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Published Every Monday and Thursday at Gainesville, Florida

H. H. McCREARY, Editor and Publ'r.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION:

The Twice-a-Week SUN $1 a year; six months, 50c.; single copies, 5c.

ADVERTISING RATES:

Local advertisements, 15 cents a line for the first and 10 cents for each additional insertion.

Displayed advertisements for three, six and 12 months at special rates. Prices furnished upon application.

Marriage and Death notices inserted free. Obituaries, 5 cents a line.

OUR CLUBBING LIST.

The Sun and the Thrice-a-Week (N. Y.) World one year.....	$1 65
The Sun and the Atlanta (Ga.) Weekly Constitution one year..	1 75
The Sun and the Atlanta (Ga.) Semi-Weekly Journal one year.	1 50
The Sun and the Semi-Weekly Times-Union one year.....	1 50

☞ We will not accept stamps of a larger denomination than 2 cents.

Mrs. Chadwick says it will take months to tell her story. She has her graft eye out for the editors now.

Colorado is determined to have but one governor, though it would take at least two to keep peace in the State.

The fishing business in England will improve now that it is announced that Admiral Rojestvensky will not return to Europe.

Governor Pennypacker says he does not read the newspapers. Nevertheless he seems to have a fair idea of what they contain.

The advice offered to the South some years ago to "raise more cotton and less hell," seems to have been tried without visible success.

In darkest Russia several citizens are effecting means to inaugurate a free press. In darkest Pennsylvania a citizen wants to do away with it.

Rev. Dr. Irvine says it is hard for a priest without a chance to make a living. Some of them with chances are laboring under the same difficulty.

Over four million dollars was bet on horse racing last year, and somebody lost every time. Many in addition lost their homes, and characters, too.

The weather of the past few days has been extremely cold for this season of the year, thin ice being formed in the open air for three successive mornings.

Secretary Hay has petitioned Congress to create a new diplomatic post in Morocco. A surprising number of statesmen out of a job think such a bill should pass.

A day or two before Christmas the United States Senate was in session for exactly four minutes. We had better give them an increased salary or they will strike.

An aspirant to a consulship from Indiana is advertised as a "talented orator." Our consuls need an equipment of more languages rather than so much American oratory.

Secretary Hay urges the appointment of a minister to Moroco, with the hope, perhaps, that the people will be less likely to break the windows of a legation than a counsulate.

Army and naval officers at the White House receptions will be introduced by their titles instead of their names. There will never be harmony until they are designated by numbers.

The much advertised Crafts family is still engaged in collecting money to rescue the oriental from the opium evil. Statistics carefully collected show that the consumption of opium in this country is nearly twice as great per inhabitant as in Asia.

Thirty-seven years of experience, not alone in war but in the grave disasters during peace, have made the Red Cross organization of Russia the most complete in the world. During the war contributions to the society have reached the sum of $5,000,000.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—The President has once more sent consternation broadcast among the conservative members of his party by assuring members of Congress that there will be an extra session of the Fifty-Ninth Congress before next December, despite the frantic efforts of the standpatters to prevent any changes in the previous schedules which Representative Dingley made, according to his own statement, unduly high with a view to permitting of virtual reduction through reciprocity treaties.

No sooner had the word gone forth that the President and some of the Congressional leaders had determined to call a special session in the autumn for the purpose of revising the tariff than the representatives of the protected interests began to arrive in Washington, lead by Wilbut F. Wakeman, secretary of the American Protective Tariff League. Telegrams began to pour in from all directions, some pleading, some threatening, but all declaring that not one jot or tittle of the protection now enjoyed by the favored interests should be abated. Representative Dalzell from what someone has cleverly called "the Steel Trust district of Pennsylvania," and that grand old statesman—"grand" sounds so much better than notorious—General Grosvenor of Ohio, began an active campaign in the House to demonstrate to the President and to the country that the tariff revision sentiment in the Republican party was infinitesimal.

Meanwhile President Roosevelt was sending for members of Congress and reminding them of the express promises made by Republican orators on the stump, that the tariff should and would be revised "by its friends;" that the Republican party was committed to no particular schedules and stood merely for the doctrine of protection on a broad scale. The President warned his brethren that it would be dangerous for them to go into the next campaign without having redeemed their pledges, but all to no purpose, apparently, for now the stand-patters maintain that they have 158 members of the House out of a total Republican membership of 210, committed against tariff revision and an extra session. It is probable that this claim is exaggerated, but there seems to be little doubt that a large majority are opposed to any movement looking to the lowering of the schedules.

Just as the radical protectionists thought, however, that they had outwitted the President, he executed a coup which has left his Republican friends gasping. He declares that he will call a special session of Congress, anyway, not to revise the tariff primarily, if a majority of Congress is opposed to revision, but chiefly to enact satisfactory railway rate legislation. The President says, moreover, that he will so word his call as to permit of tariff readjustment at the extra session and he has no doubt that when the new Congress convenes in a special session it will see the wisdom of following his advice and making the necessary changes in the schedules.

It remains to be seen what will be the next move of the radical protectionists, the patriotic servants of the steel trust, the beef trust, the Standard Oil Company and the rest of those great corporations which seek so diligently to benefit and befriend the public.

But for another class of statesmen, the senators who have cheerfully helped the President in his efforts to secure redemption of the tariff revision promises of his party, the announcement that the President will call a session to deal with the railroad question comes a blow in the face. The stern, dignified, conservative Senate has so long prevented any reform in the supervision of railway rates, or the promotion of federal control of these rates, that it is astounding that a President should have temerity to attempt to dictate its duty. It is hardly conceivable, to those who have long watched the clever obstructionist tactics of the Senate, that the President can accomplish any reform of real value, in the face of the solid opposition which he will meet with from the large majority of his own party, but it is entirely possible that between them the President and the Republican senators will make it so obvious that the Republican party as a whose stands in the way of real reform as to pave the way for great Democratic victories in the future. A prominent Democratic senator said to your correspondent yesterday: "I am almost inclined to believe that with Theodore Roosevelt in the White House and Democratic majorities in both Houses of Congress we could really accomplish something. He is the most un-Republican Rebublican I ever knew."

The President is, however, too much of a protectionist at heart to get along with Democratic majorities, and he is too prone to insist on his own way. The objections to the arbitration treaties, which the Presinent recently sent to the Senate, have been clearly set forth in the public press and by Democratic and Republican members of the Senate, and yet the President has buckled on his spurs and has taken his riding corps and is attempting to drive them through the Senate despite the opposition of both Republicans and Democrats. He has written a letter to the chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, Senator Cullum, announcing that if the Senate amends the treaties as that body believes it should, he will withdraw them. Such methods are hardly to be countenanced. The President has the constitutional power to carry out his threat, but it amounts to setting his judgment in a matter concerning foreign relations above that of a very large majority of the Senate, when the constitution expressly stipulates that all foreign relations shall be determined by the judgment of the President and a two-thirds vote of the Senate.

We have received a copy of the History and Government of Florida, a neatly printed and cloth bound book of 288 pages, inside cover. The author is Caroline Mays Brevard, with questions, supplementary chapters and an outline of Florida Civil Government by H. E. Bennett of the Florida State School. The work is one of the most instructive on Florida ever published, is up-to-date and absolutely correct, and will no doubt prove a good seller.

Marie Corelli is much shocked that Carnegie should have given a library to Stratford on Avon, to rise "amid the cottages that Shakespeare saw and loved so well." Marie was born in that neighborhood and people around there buy her books for curiosity's sake. Now she knows that they will borrow the single copy from the public library.

Congress has finally decided to allow the use of the Pension Office in Washington for the inaugural ball. People are wondering if the hesitation of Congress came from solicitude for the building, for it was of this structure that General Sheridan said, "the worst thing about it is that it is fire proof."

The Tallahassee Daily Capitol and Tallahasseean have been consolidated. Editor Hilson will discontinue the latter and continue publication of the former. John Trice, formerly editor of The Tallahasseean, is now engaged in the hotel business at Panacea Springs.

The Sun is in receipt of The New York World Almanac and Encyclopedia for 1905. It is all that its title implies and is the best edition ever published, containing all information in a nutshell. It can be obtained of all newsdealers or the publishers for 25 cents.

Another Chadwick trunk has been opened, and enough brown paper was found therein to manipulate several million dollars. It is thought that a few more developments will reveal the list of banks she had down for future operations.

The boquet which Wm. J. Bryan gave Mr. Roosevelt at the Jackson Day banquet in Memphis, Tenn., a few days ago has arrived at the White House and the Presidnt is having considerable trouble in finding a place for it.

The Daytona Daily News has made its appearance. It is a neatly printed six-column quarto and deserves the liberal patronage bestowed by the business men of the most beautiful city in Florida.

J. Edward Addicks evidently thinks he would feel very much at home in the United States Senate with such companions as Burton, Smoot, Mitchell, Dietrich, Neidenringhaus and Tom Platt.

With the thermometer near zero and the ground frozen two feet deep in most States, people had better not break their New Year's resolution by falling off the water wagon, or they'll get hurt.

Congress has tackled the problem that concerns the obscurest of us—how to keep expenditures within receipts.

THE DISCOVERER

Of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the Great Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills.

No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles or such hosts of grateful friends as has

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It will entirely cure the worst forms of Female Complaints, all Ovarian Troubles, Inflammation and Ulceration. Falling and Displacement of the Womb, and consequent Spinal Weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

It has cured more cases of Backache and Leucorrhœa than any other remedy the world has ever known. It is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves and expels tumors from the Uterus in an early stage of development.

Irregular, Suppressed or Painful Menstruation, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Flooding, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility quickly yield to it. Womb troubles, causing pain, weight and backache, instantly relieved and permanently cured by its use. Under all circumstances it invigorates the female system, and is as harmless as water.

It quickly removes that Bearing-down Feeling, extreme lassitude, "don't care" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousness, Dizziness, Faintness, sleeplessness, flatulency, melancholy or the "blues" and headache. These are sure indications of Female Weakness, or some derangement of the Uterus, which this medicine always cures. Kidney Complaints and Backache, of either sex, the Vegetable Compound always cures.

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred thousand times, for they get what they want—a cure. Sold by Druggists everywhere. Refuse all substitutes.

The Port Arthur fleet was said to be worth in money, before the beginning of the war, $150,000,000. It is probably worth now just what it will bring for old junk, although it is possible that some of the vessels may be raised and put in commission again. But the $150,000,000 that the fleet represented is all gone, so far as Russia is concerned. And this is but one item in the enormous cost of the great struggle that is being waged in the Far East.

An angry Pennsylvania Republican has kicked over the traces and told a few "frenzied truths" about political affairs in that State. He says: "Senator Quay died with a political mortgage of $500,000 and bequeathed it to his successor; the successor, however, who would stand for it was hard to find. He adds that this is but a five-cent game compared with some that Quay went through with.

A man over in Indiana in returning home from hunting the other day found his neighbor just leaving the house, and being of a jealous nature, drew his gun and filled the man's legs with fine shot. A lawsuit followed and it was learned that the man was there to borrow the local paper. The lawsuit cost $75 and the doctor bill was $25, and $1 would have saved the trouble.

At a Sunday school meeting in Helena, Mont., a speaker said the children should be taught to act strictly honestly, for even one of his children once asked him if it was wrong to steal from a trust. When the youngster gets a little older he will find it impossible to steal from a trust.

When you hear a man discoursing on his own goodness, and telling how he never made a mistake, failed to perform a duty or keep an appointment, it won't do the least bit of harm to quietly slide your hand down in your pants pocket and get a grip on your pocketbook.

We have just found out what has ailed the weather man. Every time Chicago has a blizzard New York has to have a worse one, and the rest of us have to stand for it.

Some rural mail carriers have been dismissed from the service by the postmaster-general because of attempts to influence legislation in the interest of their salaries by direct partisan action. The government has forbidden this kind of "influence" to be used on Congress and congressmen upon the part of its employes.

A writer in a current magazine is puzzled to know why so many young men study law and never practice it. They probably find it helpful in keeping them out of jail.

Russia is going to follow our example with Schley and have her greatest fighter tried by a military tribunal. Monarchies are almost as ungrateful as republics.

A Western man claimed to have kissed Mrs. Carrie Nation, though he did not state whether he was kissing a heroine, or doing the act of a hero.

The speaker of the Colorado lower house has promised not to use his gun for a gavel. We feel hopeful that Colorado is getting civilized.

According to one of the secretaries of Andrew Carnegie, his motto is: "Millions for libraries, but not one cent for Mrs. Chadwick."

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla., January 14, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on February 23, 1905, viz:

LOUIS N. MARTIN of Donnie, Fla.,

Hd. 2659 for the NW¼ of Sec. 4, Tp. 10 S., R. 14 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

F. D. Peterson, J. B. Mathews and W. C. Colson of Donnie, Fla., and T. J. Turner of Fannin, Fla.

pd W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

To the Heirs, Legatees, Distributees and Creditors of the Estate of Archibald Hague, Sr., and to All Persons Whom This Notice May Concern:

You will take notice that six months after the first publication of this notice I, as administratrix of the estate of Archibald Hague, Sr., will present to the Hon. H. G. Mason, county judge in and for Alachua county, State of Florida, my accounts as such administratrix and final report, and will then and there ask for final discharge as such administratrix.

LAURA W. SMALL,
Administratrix of the Estate of Archibald Hague, Sr.
1-19-05

SUDDEN DEATH OF SHANNON K. MILLER

Found Dead in Bed at His Home in Jacksonville Tuesday.

HEART FAILURE THE CAUSE

Was in Excellent Spirits, and Appeared to be in Good Health Monday Evening—Mother Went to Wake Him and Found His Lifeless Form.

Shannon K. Miller of Jacksonville, well known in this city, where he resided for many years, died suddenly at his home in that city some time during Tuesday night, and the following account from The Times-Union of the 18th inst. will be read by his numerous friends and acquaintances here with regret:

"News of the sudden death of Shannon K. Miller yesterday morning came as a severe shock to his many friends in the city and State.

"Mr. Miller had attended to business as usual the day before, and had spent the evening at home reading and chatting with members of his family. While it was known to one or two of his intimate friends that his health was not of the best, outwardly he seemed about as usual, and the evening before his death he was in quite a cheery mood.

"Yesterday morning, failing to rise at the usual hour, he was called several times by his mother, who receiving no answer, finally entered the room, and was distressingly shocked to learn the sad truth. Death had come during sleep. The composed features and resting attitude showed that all unconsciously life had passed away. Valvular disease of the heart was the cause of death.

"Those who were so fortunate as to enjoy his confidence and association recognized in him a man far above the average—one whose Maker had indeed blessed bountifully with those attributes which are found only in men of strong character and fixed determination. Always true to his friends and principles, he was indeed a man who could be trusted in every way. His ideas of honesty were perfect, his integrity unquestionable, his honor without a blemish. To know him was to love him. To be counted among his friends was an honor.

"Shannon K. Miller was born at Windsor, Fla., March 3, 1868. He lived in Windsor until about ten years of age, when, in 1878, his family located in Gainesville. Here Shannon received his early education, and continued to reside in that city until 1890. He then came to Jacksonville, and becoming interested in the drug business, continued in this line from that time on. For many years he was with William Fairlie, and also for a short time with C. C. Bettes. Two years ago he was engaged by Kirk & Jones as prescription clerk, which position he held up to the time of his death.

"The deceased leaves to mourn him his mother, Mrs. S. E. Miller, two sisters, Mrs. W. M. Stinson and Miss Leonora Miller of this city, and three brothers, Dr. F. D. Miller and J. M. Miller of this city and W. Miller of New York."

The funeral was held from the residence, No. 1012 East Bay street, at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. E. Boggs officiating.

Deceased has relatives in Gainesville, to whom the sympathy of the community is extended.

DEATH OF MR. STEVENS.

One of Alachua's Oldest and Most Respected Citizens Passed Away.

Information reached this city Wednesday afternoon on the death of J. K. Stephens, which sad event happened at his home in Alachua some time during Wednesday.

Deceased was about eighty years of age. He has lived a long and useful and upright life, and was loved and respected by all who knew him. He is a pioneer of Alachua county, having resided here when this country was little more than a wilderness inhabited by the Indians, with an occasional white man. It is said by those who are in a position to know that he has resided in the vicinity of his death for the past half a century.

Mr. Stephens leaves a large family, and a great many relatives, among whom are S. J. Burnett and Mrs. R. P. Goss of this city. The latter went yesterday to Alachua, where today she will attend the funeral.

The Sun, with other friends, extends sympathy.

R. McCLELLAN
Undertaking Co.
GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.
Funeral Directors and Licensed Embalmers.
Manufacturers of and Dealers in
Picture Frames, Rubber Stamps, Art Goods, Upholstery. Eastman Kodaks, Cameras, and Photographers' Supplies.
Orders by Telegraph or Telephone will receive prompt attention.

MR. THOMPSON IS HERE.

Famous Comedian Arrived Yesterday. Reminiscences of Florida Life.

John Thompson, the versatile actor and comedian, who is probably more widely known than any other actor in the United States for his versatality, arrived in the city yesterday, and is comfortably located at the Magnolia.

Mr. Thompson will appear at the opera house this evening in his unique entertainment which he has pleased to term "Around the World in Eighty Minutes." This entertainment may be classed as vaudeville, but in the production Mr. Thompson is "the whole thing," affording two and a half hours of versatile work, which is highly refined. The best recommendation for the attraction is the fact that it has been on the boards of the various theatres of the United States, large and small, for the past twelve or fifteen years, and has never yet failed of that magnectic power of attraction. The uniqueness of the attraction is the fact that Mr. Thompson does it all, but his impersonations and his costumes are so natural that they must be appreciated by those who love high-class entertainment of this nature.

Mr. Thompson is by no means a stranger to Florida. Indeed, he is a pioneer, and might almost be claimed as a "Cracker." He is very much devoted to the State, and declares when this season is over, if he can resist the temptation of the profession he has followed for thirty-five years, and which he so dearly loves, he is coming to Florida, buy a home and remain here the balance of his life. "I want to tell you," he said, "Florida, especially the East Coast, is the garden spot of the world, and if a fellow is not satisfied here I am tempted to believe he would have a 'kick' in heaven.

"I have been coming to Florida ever since a lot of your now progressive business and professional men were wearing kilts," he remarked, growing into enthusiasm. "I will never forget an unusual experience I had in St. Augustine away back in 1881. That seems a long time, you know, to you young fellows, but it does not seem long to me, perhaps because I remember the incident so vivedly.

"St. Augustine at that time was the southernmost point on the coast, consequently was crowded with tourists during the season. There had not been a show in the town for two years. Being aware of this I sent my advance agent with instructions to make the arrangement for my appearance. Upon his arrival there things did not look good to him, as he discovered there was nothing but a small hall in which to show, and the license would be $30. The agent telegraphed me to this effect, but I replied to him to bill the town.

"When I arrived at St. Augustine I found the condition of the musty, stifling hall almost beyond description. It was a hall over a saloon, and the room was filled with empty whiskey barrels, boxes of every size and description, and a little of everything else; but I put a force of negroes to work and soon had the place cleared of this rubbish. I then secured some chairs and arranged the hall for the show, after which I went to a drug store and placed my advance sales with tickets at $2 each.

"To make a long story short, I played two nights in St. Augustine on that trip and came out of the town nearly $2,000 to the good.

"Maybe that's one reason I hold my devotion to St. Augustine," concluded Mr. Thompson with a twinkle of humor in his eye, as he pulled a match from his pocket and lit a fresh cigar.

Card of Thanks.

The family of J. S. Crown, Jr., desire through The Sun to thank those who so kindly rendered assistance and sympathy in their late bereavement, the death of Mrs. J. S. Crown, Sr. Friends were very thoughtful, and their kindness will never be forgotten.

MRS. AMMONS TO WED.

Will Marry Rev. R. B. Wilmer, an Episcopal Rector of Atlanta.

The Atlanta Journal of the 18th inst. contains the following which will be of interest to the people of this city and section, and in fact throughout the State:

"Dr. and Mrs. N. D. Phillips of Gainesville, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mrs. Kate Phillips Ammons, to the Rev. C. Breckenridge Wilmer, rector of Saint Luke's Episcopal Church, Atlanta, the marriage to take place at Jacksonville, Florida, some time before Lent.

"This announcement will be of interest throughout the South, both parties being prominent. Mr. Wilmer, besides being greatly beloved as a man and pastor, has been in the public eye for some years, as one of the bright lights of the Episcopal ministry. He has long been recognized as one of the greatest forces of the Southern Episcopal Church, being a leader intelectually and spiritually.

"His marriage will be the culmination of a pretty romance of long standing. Mrs. Ammons is very little known in Atlanta, but she will be warmly welcomed.

"Mr. Wilmer and his bride will occupy the old rectory until the new church and rectory on Peachtree are completed."

The marriage to which above reference is made will take place on Tuesday, January 24th, at 8 a. m., at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Jacksonville, Florida, Rev. Edwin G. Weed officiating. After touring the East Coast and Palm Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer will make their home in Atlanta, Ga., where he has officiated for several years as rector of Saint Luke's Parish.

Mr. Wilmer is well known in this section, having been connected with this diocese for some years, and can claim here as elsewhere, hosts of friends and admirers.

Mrs. Ammons is well known in this community, having lived here as Kate Phillips from earliest childhood, and the only regret to be heard in reference to this marriage is that it will remove her from the midst of her friends to whom she is so much endeared, and who cordially wish for both parties all the happiness that life can give.

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

Mrs. Paulsen at Orange Heights Entertains for Little Daughter.

Orange Heights, January 18.—Mrs. N. A. Paulsen entertained a few friends Saturday afternoon, the 14th, in honor of her little daughter, Laurel, who was celebrating her eighth birthday. The little hostess made a charming picture as she appeared in pure white, her beautiful golden hair hanging down in curls, her face wreathed in smiles and her eyes sparkling with happiness as she greeted each little friend as they were ushered into her presence with their arms full of dollies. Each guest was supposed to bring with them their whole doll family.

The children present were: Thelma Gladis Brown of Gainesville, Miss Lulu Powell of Waldo, Misses Ella Jolly, Minnie-Ela Eddy and sister, Bessie, Alice Burch and Alva Babbitt of Orange Heights.

Miss Bessie Eddy carried away the prize for the handsomest doll; Miss Eula Powell for the neatest dressed. Miss Ella Jolly found the most peanuts and "retailed" the donkey.

There were dollies short and dollies tall,
Dollies large and dollies small,
Dollies black and dollies white,
But some of the dollies were a sight,
There were dollies old and dollies new,
And the pretty dollies were not a few.
There were dollies, I think, of every make,
But Mrs. Eddy's dollie took the cake.

North Gainesville Meeting.

It is a source of gratification to the small band of Seventh Day Adventists in this section that the meetings conducted by Elders Crissler and Killing of Orlando, which were begun in the North Gainesville Hall Sunday, will continue throughout the present week and until further notice.

Notwithstanding that the converts of the Seventh Day Adventist faith in this section could almost be counted upon the fingers of both hands, the congregations are very encouraging to this little band, and the services nightly are well attended, many going from Gainesville in order to be present. Both the elders are eloquent, pleasing and impressive speakers, and their discourses are said by those who have heard them to be very interesting.

ANNUAL MEETING OF MINERS.

Nearly Six Hundred Delegates Present When Called to Order.

Indianapolis, Jan. 17.—The seventeenth annual national convention of the United Mine Workers of America was opened today by President Mitchell in Tomlinson hall. Nearly 600 delegates were in their seats, representing every one of the 25 districts. The largest delegations were from the central districts.

Reports from the districts show a shortage in work compared with previous years. In Indiana the average has been less than three days in the week. It is said that present conditions will tend toward a further reduction in wages were there a scale to be fixed this year.

The approaching joint conference of the central Pennsylvania district at Altoona is being considered with some anxiety by the mine workers.

It is believed the operators will endeavor to force a heavy reduction in the scale. The convention is expected to take some action anticipating such a condition.

INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC IN CHICAGO

More Than Twenty Deaths In One Week From Disease.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Influenza is more prevalent and more fatal in Chicago this winter than at any time since the epidemic of 1891, according to the weekly bulletin of the health department. Twenty more deaths from this cause were reported during the week.

Investigations by Dr. Robert B. Preble, a medical inspector for the department, are held to show that there can be no question that influenza, or lagrippe, is the most important factor of the increase of pneumonia and in consequence of heart disease.

Statistics are quote as proof that the deaths from heart disease and from pneumonia have increased at almost exactly the same ratio since 1843. The fact that the germ which causes pneumonia also irritates the membrane covering the valves of the heart is widely commented on.

The Twentieth Century Club.

The Twentieth Century Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Rogers.

Mrs. Colclough as leader gave a very interesting program, the subject being "Opera in Germany."

Mrs. Percival sang very sweetly a selection from a German composer. She also gave a short sketch of his life.

"Musical Advantages in Germany" was read by Mrs. Harper.

Mrs. Tench read a very interesting article, "Gluck, the Father of Opera."

The music of Richard Wagner was read by Mrs. Taylor, and Mrs. Rogers read, "Love of Music in Germany."

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Percival on January 23rd.

Death of An Infant.

Alfred, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Butts of Rochelle, died in this city Tuesday night, and was buried at Hawthorn Wednesday. The infant had been indisposed for two weeks, and was brought to Gainesville and placed under the constant care of a physician. Everything possible was done for the child, but to no avail, and death came to relieve its sufferings. The fond parents have the sympathy of the community. Robert McClellan, undertaker, had charge of the arrangements.

Witnesses Denounced as Traitors.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 18.—A special to The Tribune from Eureka, Utah, says that Bishop Daniel Connelly, in ad address before the Mormon Young People's societies of that place, denounced as "traitors," the witnesses in the Smoot investigation who have revealed the endowment house oaths and declared he had known men to be shot to death for breaking their oaths.

Reduced Prices
—FOR—
Printed Stationery
We will employ no solicitor for Job Printing during 1905, and will give customers the benefit of his expenses. We quote:
1,000 7-lb. Note Heads.....$1.75
1,000 Envelopes.....2.00
1,000 Statements.....1.75
1,000 10-lb. Letter Heads.....2.50
1,000 6-line Bill Heads.....1.50
All other printed stationery at proportionately low prices.
Cash Must Accompany Your Order.
THE GAINESVILLE SUN,
GAINESVILLE, - - FLORIDA

POLYGAMY DYING OUT VERY RAPIDLY

Judge Miner Predicts A Great Change in Next Decade.

UTAH NO WORSE THAN NEW YORK

Senator Smoot's Trial Still In Progress—Case of Senator Burton, of Kansas, Reversed in Supreme Court, and Will Get New Trial.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Judge James A. Miner, of Salt Lake, formerly of the supreme court of Utah, was called today as a witness in the Smoot investigation before the senate committee on privileges and election. He testified as to Mr. Smoot's good character and his prominence politically in 1890 when Judge Miner went to Utah. Polygamy is dying out so rapidly, said the witness, that he believed Utah would be better in ten years than any state in the union.

"There is no more polygamous or unlawful cohabitation in Utah than there is New York, or in the District of Columbia," he added. Chairman Burrows questioned Judge Miner concerning the extent polgyamy is practiced among the heads of the church. He said it was not generally understood before this investigation that they were continuing the practice of polygamous cohabitation, but that the testimony given had thrown further light on the subject.

Elias A. Smith, of Salt Lake, a Mormon and a member of the People's party (the Mormon party) until it was dissolved in 1891, was the next witness. He denied that at the meeting held for the dissolution of this party instructions were given by the church that certain persons should be Democrats, certain others Republicans and others Independent in politics.

Senator Burton's Case.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The case of Senator J. R. Burton was decided by the supreme court of the United States today dismissing the writ of certiorari to the circuit court of appeals for the eighth circuit, and reversing the verdict of the district court for the eastern district of Missouri on the ground that the payments to Mr. Burton were made in Washington. The district court was, therefore, reversed, and the case remanded for a new trial.

PILOT'S QUICK WIT SAVES BOAT

Menaced by Scow Southfield's Churning Screw Averts Impact.

New York, Jan. 18.—Captain Samuel Kohler, of the Staten Island ferryboat Southfield, by quick work saved his boat from being rammed by a heavily laden scow, and evoked the cheers of the ferry passengers.

The Southfield was ready to leave the South Ferry pier on her 2 p. m. trip, when scow E 39, loaded with dirt and stone, broke away from the Battery pier. Two men on board yelled for help.

Captain Kohler quickly rang full speed ahead, and soon his boat was sent bumping against the bridge of the ferry house. The screw caused a great wash, which forced the scow out in the stream. The heavy overhang of the scow scraped the stern as E 39 was carried past. A tug picked the scow up soon afterward.

HOME MISSIONARIES MEET.

Discuss Ways and Means to Assist Them in Their Work.

New York, Jan. 17.—A conference of delegates representing the auxiliary congregational home missionary societies in thirteen northern state with a committee representing the national Orthodox Society met in this city and discussed their differences.

A resolution was adopted declaring that the differences have been found to be less serious than imagined and the desire to come together has been deep and lasting, that a solution of the difficulties are at hand and a committee would report its decisions to the parent society. That committee is composed of the Rev. C. S. Dills, of Cleveland; the Rev. Dr. H. P. DeForest, of Detroit; A. H. Wellman, of Boston, and W. W. Mills, of Marietta, O.

Wed as He Lay Dying.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 17.—Edmund R. Abbott, of New York, who came here Christmas to visit his fiance, Miss Carrie Tuttle, married her as he lay ill of pneumonia. The doctors have given up all hope of saving his life. After the marriage he willed his New York real estate, said to be valued at $200,000, to his wife. He has a brother and sister in New York and mother in California.

GAMBLING ENDS IN NEW YORK CITY

Every Dive in City is Said to be Closed.

THEY WILL NOT REOPEN

Paraphernalia of Noted Gamblers Turned Over to District Attorney Jerome, When it Was Declared That all Gambling Houses in the City Had Been Closed.

New York, Jan. 17.—Following the surrender to District Attorney Jerome yesterday of the gambling outfit belonging to Frank Furrell, "Dave" Johnson and Frank Macdougal, it was declared by counsel for the gamblers that Jerome has closed every gambling house in New York City, and that they will remain closed. The instrument which made such effective action possible was disclosed by Lawyer Daniel O'Reilly, representing the gamblers, to the Dowling law, enacted at the request of Jerome when he was trying to induce Jesse Lewiston to testify against Richard Canfield. The law automatically releases any gambler from punishment who gives evidence against himself before the District Attorney, but compels him to give such evidence.

Lawyer O'Reilly said:

"There will be no gambling houses in this city. The Dowling act has given the district attorney a weapon which he has used to close effectually every place in the city.

"That they will not reopen is shown by the surrender of all gambling paraphernalia. They cannot afford to buy more every time the district attorney takes a notion to make a raid."

SPARKS' SHOW IN TAMPA.

Put Up a Good Show and Pleased the People.

Sparks' Show pleased two audiences yesterday in this city, and will conclude its engagement today, with afternoon and evening performances.

Mr. Charles Sparks, proprietor of the show, is with it, although just convalescing from a severe attack of malaria, and is giving everything his personal attention. The acts are all new and pleasing and keep the large audiences thoroughly entertained. The acrobatic specialties are far above the ordinary in shows of this size and price. The wire-walking is especially noteworthy. The trained horses, the big elephant and the ferocious lions all contribute their share to the amusement of the patrons.—Tampa Tribune.

Sparks' Shows will exhibit in Gainesville on Saturday, Jan. 21. Two performances, afternoon and evening.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

One-half the stuff you buy does you no good.

Don't carry a lot of keys to private drawers. Burn papers you don't want seen.

A dollar is a large amount to pay for bread, but it is mighty insignificant in a poker game.

When some people haven't any great trouble, they smile as much as to say, How brave I am!

Many a good man fusses a great deal about nothing and makes himself unnecessarily disagreeable.

There is this in being a parent: They get the abuse if their children are bad and no particular credit if they are good.—Atchison Globe.

Five Thousand Distinct Languages.

Mr. J. Collier is authority for the statement that there are no less than 5,000 distinct languages spoken by mankind. The number of separate dialects is enormous. There are more than sixty distinct vocabularies in Brazil, and in Mexico the Nahua language has been broken up into 700 dialects. There are hundreds in Borneo. The complexities are beyond classification in Australia, and generally the number of dialects decreases with the intellectual culture of the population. If there is an average of fifty dialects to every language we still have the enormous total of 250,000.

Burying the Inn Sign.

In some parts of England when a public house loses its license the signboard is solemnly buried. On the last night it is removed from over the door and "waked" in the bar by the old customers. When the clock points to closing time and the house ceases its career as an inn the signboard is carried out in procession and interred with an appropriate burial service, which ends with watering the grave with a gallon of beer or a bottle of whisky.

Women find quick relief in Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup.

Ayer's

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral quiets tickling throats, hacking coughs, pain in the lungs. It relieves congestion, subdues inflammation. It heals, strengthens. Your doctor will explain this to you. He knows all about this cough medicine.

Cherry Pectoral

"We have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in our family for 25 years for throat and lung troubles, and we think no medicine equals it." MRS. A. POMEROY, Appleton, Minn.

25c., 50c., $1.00. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for

Weak Throats

Ayer's Pills greatly aid recovery. Purely vegetable, gently laxative.

OUR TREASURE IN KEATS.

His Poetry of Three Dimensions—Height, Breadth and Solidity.

In reading Keats one is struck with the wealth of his equipment, the solid qualities of his art, his soaring imagination, his rare sense of beauty, his range of emotional response, his rich resources of language, and, not the least noteworthy, his capability of growth in taste. To consider what a poet thus endowed might have given to the world had he lived to the age of Shakespeare or Milton excites the mind almost to pain, so little short of miracle was his actual achievement. We believe there is no evidence that he wrote a line of verse after his twenty-fifth year, and he probably wrote little after his twenty-fourth, and yet what a glorious body of life and inspiration he has left! It is poetry of three dimensions—height, breadth and solidity. And yet, withal, it has arrowlike intensity—a quality of which he himself said, "The excellence of every art is its intensity, capable of making all disagreeables evaporate from their being in close relationship with truth and beauty."

His transcriptions of the classic into modern speech in "Hyperion" and "Lamia," the wonderful music and color of "The Eve of St. Agnes," the deft and eerie handling of ballad themes in "La Belle Dame sans Merci" and "Isabella; or, The Pot of Basil," the overflowing dreaminess of midsummer in the "Ode to a Nightingale," the depth and lyric directness of such lines as "In a Drear Nighted December," and a whole anthology of noble sonnets interpreting life and nature—these are but a moiety of the overflowing stream of his passionate imaginings, for in him the intellectual and the emotional were kindly mixed. In the face of such a record of good work the faults of his earlier manner are not worth consideration.—Century.

The Government's Music.

A certain congressman who takes an interest in musical matters presented a bill advocating a larger appropriation for the care of the music in the Congressional library. He spoke briefly on the subject, and after the session a fellow congressman approached him confidentially.

"I say," he said in a low voice, "I like that bill of yours. But, tell me, what sort of music does the government have over there in the library? Is it a band or just a hand organ?"—Harper's Weekly.

Her Hand.

"Sir," began the timid youth as he entered the office, "I am in search—er—that is, I came to seek your daughter's hand"—

"Well, it isn't anywhere in this vicinity," interrupted the stern parent. "She's probably using it as a piano thumper about this time of day."

Boston Wires Resent It.

Angry Patron—Hello, central! What did you cut me off for? Boston Telephone Girl—Because you used a plural noun as the subject of a singular verb. You are not allowed to do that on this line, sir.—Chicago Tribune.

SEE SMITH'S WELL MOUNTS

All New and Artistic.

A FINE CALENDAR PHOTO given with every dozen cabinets. All the old standard styles and many new ones.

SPECIAL MOUNTS for E. F. S., School Children and Babies.

Fine Fadeless Fotografs From Locket to Life Size.

SMITH'S STUDIO.

THE COMPASS.

The Belief Was Once Held That It Disclosed Men's Thoughts.

A belief that the mariner's compass disclosed men's thoughts was entertained by a number of ancient Mexican companions and allies of Hernando Cortes. His habit of consulting his compass and chart in his advance through the country and the ease and assurance with which he reached whatever town or village he determined to make for tended to confirm this idea.

In the estimation of the Mexicans the compass was a universal oracle. Accordingly in one of the conspiracies which were set on foot against Cortes by the Aztecs a number of the natives, most likely innocent of what was in contemplation, were earnest in entreating Cortes to have recourse to his infallible guide, the compass, that he might ascertain for their mutual satisfaction that they at least were faithful. Cortes himself records the singular idea held of the powers of the magnetic needle by his Aztec associates and their request in a letter addressed to the Emperor Charles V. Their belief, he adds, was one in which he took care to confirm them.

Even Worse.

Mrs. Hoyle—I hear that your husband died intestate. Mrs. Doyle—Well, I don't know what his trouble was, but he had to have an operation.—Town Topics.

Malice eats up the greatest part of her own venom and therewith poisoneth herself.—Montaigne.

BUSINESS CARDS

DR. DEVERE B. MORRIS,

....DENTIST....

Office over Marcus Endel's. All work guaranteed.

J. A. CARLISLE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

And Solicitor in Equity

Real Estate, Conveyancing and General Practice. All business promptly attended to. Office next door to Sun office. GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

FERDINAND BAYER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

GAINESVILLE, - - FLORIDA.

Can sell your city property, (improved and unimproved), phosphate, trucking and farming lands. Send him a list of what you offer for sale. 2142m.

W. E. BAKER,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

...SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY....

GAINESVILLE, Alachua Co., FLA. Office in Endel Block.

DR. J. H. ALDERMAN,

DENTIST.

[Successor to Seigler & Alderman]

Over Dutton & Co's Bank, Gainesville

Special attention to Crown and Bridge work. Phone 70-3.

DR. GORDON B. TISON'

DENTIST.

Graduate Baltimore College Dental Surgery. Five years' experience in New York City. Crown, Bridge work and Filling Specialties. ALL WORK GUARANTEED. Office in Miller Law Exchange, GAINESVILLE, FLA.

THE WEST END,

FINE WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

JOHN MENZIES, Proprietor.

219-221 W. Bay st., Jacksonville, Fla.

Faust beer, bottle and draught. Don't fail to call on me when in Jacksonville

CRYSTAL SALOON,

Frank Gardner, Prop'r.

Jacksonville, - - Florida

Best Imported and Domestic Liquors and Wines in the city.

DR. P. D. HICKS,

DENTIST,

CROWN AND BRIDGE WORK.

WALDO, - - - FLORIDA

Out-of-town people please make engagements before coming to have work done to avoid delay. 9804

W. H. SIBLEY,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

115 East Main St., North.

GAINESVILLE, - - FLORIDA

Established in 1881.

The Oldest Whiskey House in Georgia

OLD SHARPE WILLIAMS
Guaranteed 8 years old. By the gallon $3.00. 4 full quarts $3.50. EXPRESS PREPAID

GEO. J. COLEMAN RYE
Guaranteed 6 years old. By the gallon $2.75. 4 full quarts $3.00. EXPRESS PREPAID

ANVIL RYE
Guaranteed 4 years old. By the gallon $2.50. 4 full quarts $2.75. EXPRESS PREPAID

CLIFFORD RYE
By the gallon $2.25. 4 full quarts $2.50. EXPRESS PREPAID

OLD POINTER CORN CLUB
Guaranteed 4 years old. By the gallon $2.50. 4 full quarts $2.75. EXPRESS PREPAID

OLD KENTUCKY CORN
Guaranteed 8 years old. By the gallon $3.00. 4 full quarts $3.25. EXPRESS PREPAID

We handle all the leading brands of Rye and Bourbon Whiskies in the market and will save you from 25 per cent to 50 per cent on your purchases. Send for price list and catalogue. Mailed free upon application.

THE ALTMAYER & FLATAU LIQUOR COMPANY,

506-508-510-512 FOURTH STREET, MACON, GEORGIA.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA

Notice is hereby given that J. B. McDonald, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 474, dated the 4th day of July, A. D. 1901, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

S½ of Lot 14 Sec. 12, Tp. 9, R. 20.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of T. P. Rogers.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 9th day of December, A. D. 1904.

H. C. DENTON,
Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
pd Per S. H. Wienges, D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that T. T. Williams, purchaser of Tax Certificates Nos. 874 & 876, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deeds to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

S½ of Sw¼ of Nw¼ less 6 acres, and S½ of N½ of Sw¼ of Nw¼ Sec. 24, Tp. 8, R. 21.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificates in the name of Mrs. A. E. Nye and Mrs. J. E. Tolbert.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 7th day of January, A. D. 1905.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

ALACHUA COUNTY....

Alachua county is 806,400 acres in area, has 248 miles railroad, 900 miles wagon road, 56 postoffices, 123 public schools, 27 phosphate plants, 20 saw mills, $75,000 court house, five newspapers, and produces corn, cotton, rice, sugar, oats, rye, potatoes, pineapples, oranges, peaches, pears, plums, pecans, and all kinds of vegetables.

Gainesville, the County Seat....

Has fourteen churches, two public schools, the East Florida Seminary, private schools, three newspapers, United States land office, the best water, fire alarm system, electric and gas lights, two ice factories, machine shops, three wood factories, cotton gin, two moss factories, three railroads, two fertilizer manufacturing companies, one fiber manufactory, one rectifying turpentine plant, two banks, and well stocked stores embracing everything in the commercial line.

The Florida Fruit and Truck Grower

L. J. BRUMBY, Editor and Prop'r, OCALA, FLA.

One Year.....$1.00
Single copies..... 10

A handsomely illustrated magazine devoted especially to the interests of the fruit and vegetable growers of Florida.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT.

In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua County, Florida—In Chancery. R. C. Denton and John V. Denton, Her Husband, vs. F. B. Denton.—Bill to Foreclose Mortgage.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that F. B. Denton, the defendant therein named, is a non-resident of the State of Florida, and is a resident of Savannah, Georgia, No. 120 Oglethorp Avenue, West, and is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that said non-resident defendant be and he is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 6th day of February, A. D. 1905, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Gainesville Sun, a newspaper published in said county and State.

This December 23rd, 1904.

H. C. DENTON, Clerk Circuit Court.
[Seal] By S. H. Wienges, D. C.

A true copy of original.

H. C. DENTON, Clerk.
Per S. H. Wienges, D. C.
B. A. THRASHER, Sol'r. for Compl'ts.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that J. L. Medlin, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 5, dated the 7th day of Aug., A. D. 1899, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

W½ of E½ and S½ of Ne¼ of Ne¼ Sec. 19, Tp. 11, S. of R. 18 E.—containing 200 acres, more or less.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of L. J. Gullmartin.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 20th day of December, A. D. 1904.

H. C. DENTON,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that J. L. Medlin, purchaser of three-fifths part of Tax Certificate No. 172, dated the 5th day of July, A. D. 1886, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

W½ of Nw¼ and Sw¼ Sec. 19, Tp. 11, S. of R. 18 E.—containing 240 acres of land, more or less.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of C. A. McCuen.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 20th day of December, A. D. 1904.

H. C. DENTON,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla., December 19, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make commutation proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on January 26, 1905, viz:

EUGENIA J. LANGFORD of Grady, Fla.,

Hd. 32146 for the Nw¼ of Nw¼ Sec. 6, Tp. 7 S., R. 14 E., and N½ of Lot 12 of Sec. 1, Tp. 7 S., R. 13 E.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

J. W. Douglass of Grady, Fla., J. A. Barber of Grady, Fla., W. W. Cranford of Grady, Fla., Louis Langford of Call, Fla.

pd W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla., January 3, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on February 7, 1905, viz:

ROBERT I. CARAWAY of Donnie, Fla.,

Hd. 28530 for the S½ of Ne¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 10 S., R. 14 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

J. C. Blitch, R. F. Pridgeon, J. E. White, J. G. Curry, all of Donnie, Fla.

pd W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla., December 27, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on February 9, 1905, viz:

FRANK SIMMONS of Downing, Fla.,

Hd. 28624 for the S½ of Lot 12 (or Se¼ of Se¼) Sec. 24, Tp. 7 S., R. 13 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

J. F. Lindsay, Quinn Bass, J. W. Ganter, William Williams, all of Hatch Bend, Fla.

pd W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

NOTICE.

To whom it may concern:

Take notice that we, constituting a majority in interest of the stockholders of the American Oil and Chemical Company, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Florida, with its plant, buildings, machinery, tools, etc., for the carrying on of its business operations at Gainesville, Florida, have petitioned to the Circuit Court of the Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida for Alachua County for a dissolution of said corporation, and that on Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1905, at Starke, Florida, or wherever the Judge of said court may be on that day, we will ask said court for a decree dissolving said corporation.

[Signed] E. Baird, E. S. Ludwig, Florida Fertilizer Manufacturing Co., C. C. Woolley, Lee Graham, Jas. M. Graham.

NOTICE OF FINAL DISCHAIGE OF GUARDIAN.

Notice is hereby given that six months after the first publication of this notice, the undersigned, as guardian of and for Herbert Smith, will present his final accounts and vouchers to the Hon. H. G. Mason, county judge within and for Alachua county, Florida, and will then and there apply for final discharge and further administration and guardianship upon the estate of the said Herbert Smith, he the said Herbert Smith, having attained the age of twenty-one years.

This September 13th, A. D. 1904.

ARTHUR W. TEDCASTLE.
21508 As Guardian for Herbert Smith.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that after this notice has been published according to law, for six months, I will present my accounts to Hon. H. G. Mason, county judge of Alachua county, Florida, and ask that my accounts be approved and ask for final discharge.

JAS. M. GRAHAM.
As Administrator Estate of George Graham, deceased. 25feb6.

BRISTOW RESIGNS HIS JOB IN ANGER

Felt As Though He Had Been Snubbed By Wynne.

PRESIDENT GIVES HIM NEW JOB

Mr. Bristow Took Offense at the Recent Order of the Postmaster General in Regard to Postoffice Inspectors—Other Capital News.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Joseph L. Bristow fourth assistant postmaster general, has tendered to the president his resignation as an officer of the postal service, to take effect on the 20th instant.

By an executive order, issued late this afternoon, President Roosevelt designated Mr. Bristow as a special commissioner to make an investigation into the present trade conditions and freight rates between the Atlantic coasts and between the west coast of South America and Europe and to determine the best policy of managing the Panama railroad.

Mr. Bristow regarded the issuance of the order of transfer of the division as a reflection upon him. That the order as to the inspectors' division was not issued with the idea of humiliating Mr. Bristow is evidenced by the president's action today.

In the House.

When the house met today Mr. Gillette, of Massachusetts, called the resolution inquiry relative to the political activity on the part of the letter carriers raised by Mr. Hearst. He asked that the house agree to the resolution explaining that it called on the president and postmaster general for information. The resolution was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sulloway, the house took up the consideration of the private pension bills, that being the regular order for the day. The first bill was to correct a military record.

Mr. Maddox (Ga.) instituted a close inquiry into the case, which Mr. Loudenschlager (N. J.) endeavored to answer.

In the Senate.

At the beginning of today's session Mr. DuBois introduced an amendment to the joint statehood bill prohibiting the practice or encouragement of polygamy in the proposed states of Oklahoma and Arizona.

The Philippine railroad bill was sent to conference with Messrs. Lodge, Hale and Culberson as conferees.

TO KEEP PLATT FROM SEAT.

Declared He Subverts Interest of the People.

New York, Jan. 16.—At the meeting of the Postal Progress League, in Cooper Union, Chairman Post, of Battle Creek, Mich., said he had prepared and will ask the United States supreme court for a restraining order to prevent Senator Thomas C. Platt from taking his seat.

He said he would take this action on the ground that Senator Platt subverts the interests of the people he has sworn to represent in the interest of a corporation he really represents. The matter relates to the parcels post.

Rough Riders Invite President.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Members of a delegation from the commercial bodies of Dallas, Tex., were introduced to the president today by Colonel W. G. Sterrett. They extended to the president a cordial invitation to visit Dallas, when he shall make his contemplated trip to San Antonio to attend the reunion of "Rough Riders." The president could give no definite response to the invitation, but promised to consider it.

Against Mileage and Passes.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Representative Sheppard, of Texas, introduced a bill yesterday prohibiting the payment of mileage to senators and members who ride on free passes. It requires written statements to be filed with the president of the senate and speaker of the house by senators and members to the effect that they have not used passes before they shall receive mileage.

The Saving Light.

We boast our light; but, if we look not wisely on the sun itself, it smites us into darkness. The light which we have gained was given us not to be ever staring on, but by it to discover onward things now remote from all knowledge.—Milton.

When a Kick Helps.

When one lacks the courage boldly to advance along the perilous course his intelligence counsels, he is lucky if he can and will goad some one into kicking him along it past the point where retreat is impossible.—Success.

Startling

results in the quick relief of PAIN—whether caused by local injuries, or disorder of any of the internal organs—are obtained by using HAMLINS WIZARD OIL.

Some of the pains which it most promptly and successfully cures, are rheumatism, neuralgia, headache, earache, toothache, sprains, burns, scalds, cuts, colic, etc.

This great curative medicine is a pleasant, safe, and certain remedy for internal and external use, which never fails to relieve and cure. Nothing else like it. At druggists. Price 50c and $1.00. Fully guaranteed.

Sold and recommended by

ALL DRUGGISTS.

FAMOUS LITIGATION ENDED.

Involves Millions of Dollars and Is to Be Settled Out of Court.

New York, Jan. 16.—Arrangements have practically been perfected for a settlement out of court of the millions involved in the estates of Chas., Max and Louis Feischmann.

Mayor Judas Fleischmann, of Cincinnati, met the heirs of his uncle Max here and as the representative of the heirs of Charles Fleischmann, is stated to have made a friendly arrangement to pay to them several millions of dollars rather than have the entire fortune tied up for years. The plan will be put into effect as soon as a court decree empowering him to take this course is rendered.

This ends a litigation which was begun soon after the death of Chas. Fleischmann on his yacht in 1897. His brother Max died in 1890.

A Strike of Trainmen.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 16.—A strike of trainmen on the Pennsylvania system in the near future is not regarded seriously by the employes of the company in and about Pittsburg. It was stated today that at least no definite action in the matter would be taken before the answer of General Manager Atterbury, was submitted to the members of the organization and then even if the demands of the trainmen are not granted, a strike will not be ordered until further action is taken by all the lodges of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen or by the executive committee of that body.

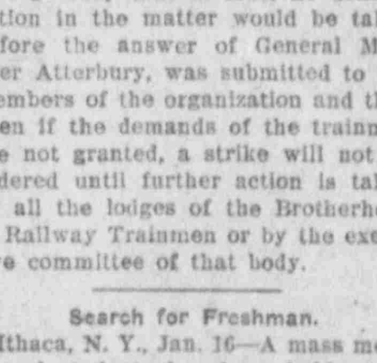
Search for Freshman.

Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 16—A mass meeting of students has been held to arrange a systematic search for David W. Nevins, of New York, a freshman who has been mysteriously missing several days. The morgues, lakes and woods about Ithaca, will be thoroughly gone over. Mrs. Nevins, the young man's mother, who came to Ithaca on Wednesday to prosecute the search became prostrated by anxiety and was taken home.

GEO. S. HACKER & SON

MANUFACTURERS OF

Doors and Sash



Blinds, Mouldings

and Building Material,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

Sash, Weights, Cord, Hardware AND GLASS.

E. M. HACKER, Proprietor

Advertise in The Sun.

MRS. DUKE HAS LEFT NEW YORK

After Leaving She Telegraphed About Her Baggage.

LEFT CITY WITHOUT NOTICE.

She Said She Had Been Hounded to Death and Wanted to Get Away. Has Been Indicted in Texas for Obtaining Money Fraudulently.

New York, Jan. 17.—After Mrs. Brodie L. Duke had suddenly disappeared from the Union Square Hotel in this city yesterday, a woman who said she was Mrs. Duke, called that hotel by telephone, and notified the management that she had left New York City. She refused to say where she was stopping, but declared that she would send for her baggage, which had been left at the hotel.

When asked why she had left the hotel so suddenly, she declared that "she has been hounded to death, and wanted to get away."

Mrs. Duke has been indicted in Texas on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, and a warrant for her arrest is reported to be in the mails on the way to New York.

Mrs. Duke left her hotel without notice. Her baggage was not removed and it was supposed that she would return later. The first known of her absence was when a physician called to see her and her room was found vacant. None of the hotel employes or a large number of newspaper men around the hotel had seen her go out. Earlier in the day it was reported that she was ill.

Tax Assessor's Notice.

I shall meet the tax-payers of the following places on the dates set opposite:

Bland—Thursday, January 19.
Santa Fee—Friday, January 20.
LaCrosse—Saturday, January 21.
Rochelle—Tuesday, January 24, in forenoon.
Windsor—Tuesday, January 24, in afternoon.
Campville—Wednesday, January 25.
Orange Heights—Thursday, January 26.
Melrose—Friday, January 27.
Hawthorn—Saturday, January 28.
Tacoma—Tuesday, January 31.
Micanopy—Wednesday, February 1.
Evinston—Thursday, February 2.
Island Grove—Friday, February 3.
Lake View—Saturday, February 4, in forenoon.
Fairbanks—Monday, February 6.
Waldo—Tuesday, February 7.
Rocky Point—Thursday, February 9.
Archer—Saturday, February 11.

It is of special interest to every tax-payer to make careful returns of their property each year, and I request that every one avail themselves of these appointments.

Very respectfully,
WILLIS W. COLSON,
Tax Assessor.

PRODUCE AND SAVE

YOUR MEAT

For the information of those who desire to have their hog meat cured in our cold storage we recommend the following method of preparation:

As soon as the butchered animal has cooled down, cut up and trim to perfect shape, leaving chine bones on hams, and blade bones on shoulders; salt in the usual manner, using not more than 10 pounds salt, 2 ounces brown sugar, 2 ounces saltpeter and 1 ounce red pepper to each 100 pounds of meat. It should reach the cold storage not later than three days after so prepared. If any additional salt is needed after reaching us, we will supply it. Leave in cold storage 45 to 60 days, according to size of meat. After taking from cold storage wash in warm water and dry, then wrap or sew up closely in muslin, so as to prevent attacks from flies or other insects; hang up and smoke at intervals for three weeks. It will take smoke perfectly through the muslin. Green hickory wood makes the best smoke. When dry, take down and pack in boxes, a layer of oat straw, then one of meat, etc., and you will have as fine meat as can be produced, until following season.

Parties having railroad facilities may with perfect safety ship by freight and have it returned same way. Mark plainly to us and also your name on box or barrel and mail us bill of lading. Prepay freight at shipping point. Our charge for storage is one cent per pound for one month. We also wish to buy hogs dressed. We solicit patronage in perfect confidence to give entire satisfaction, and feel that our enterprise is of the greatest benefit to the farmer. Yours for home-made meat.

DIAMOND ICE COMPANY,

R. B. Livingston, Mgr., Gainesville, Fla

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla., December 19, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make commutation proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on January 26, 1905, viz:

JAMES W. DOUGLASS of Grady, Fla.,

Hd. 9670 for the Lots 3 and 4 and N½ of Lot 9 of Sec. 1, Tp. 7 S., R. 13 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

John H. Cribbs of Grady, Fla., E. D. Dedge of Grady, Fla., G. W. Langford of Grady, Fla., C. C. Hatheox of Hatch Bend, Fla.

W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

pd

ANOTHER Carload of BUGGIES!

Just Arrived and They Are Beauties.

We buy in car lots; do other dealers in this section? Suppose you ask them.

To buy in large quantities means to buy cheap; to buy in car lots means a saving of about $8.00 to the buggy on freight, packing, etc.

Is there any wonder that we sell so much cheaper than our competitors? We have buggies at

$45 $50

$55 $60

You save from $10 to $15 on a buggy bought from

W. R. THOMAS.

..GAINESVILLE BOTTLING WORKS..

—MANUFACTURERS OF—

Pure Soda Water, all Flavors, Ginger Ale, Root and Birch Beer, Cider, Etc.

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

Write for prices. Cases and bottles are not sold, but must be returned.

A NOTE OF EXCELLENCE

Resounds through the air whenever our Whiskey is spoken of. None know it but to love it, none drink it but to praise its age, mellowness and purity. Enough for you to taste it to know it's good liquor.

Just received 500 cases Anderson County Rye. Four Full Quarts, packed securely, Express Prepaid ..... $3.40 Write for Price List.

Headquarters for NORTH CAROLINA CORN.

Ocala House Wine Rooms, - Ocala, Fla.

LAND TITLES...

"The question of Title a first consideration for the investor."

Title is what you pay for when you buy land; therefore know what you are buying.

.. Titles ordinarily invisible correctly revealed to you by ..

The - Alachua - County - Abstract - Company,

Gainesville, Florida.

Send Us Your Next Order for Job Work

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:

Best hand-made buggies in Florida. C. C. Pedrick. s&w-1m

F. B. Atwater of High Springs was transacting business in this city yesterday.

James Croxton of Micanopy, county surveyor, paid Gainesville a visit yesterday.

D. Peterson of Fannin was among the business visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

Gad Mathews, a successful farmer of the Bell section, was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. L. Cloud and two children of Alachua favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday.

Miss Maggie Morrison, a charming young lady of High Springs, was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. T. Waits departed yesterday for Rochelle, where she will visit friends and relatives for a few days.

Warranty Deeds for sale at this office; 50c per dozen, $2.50 per hundred. Cash must accompany order.

F. B. Rawls and Eugene A. Morris of Alachua and S. A. Hancock of Archer were among the visitors to the county capital yesterday.

W. C. Summers, senior member of the firm of Summers Bros., furniture dealers, High Springs, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gore are rejoicing over the birth of a fine girl, which arrived early Monday morning. Friends extend congratulations.

Dosier Burnett of Hague was trading in the city yesterday. Mr. Burnett formerly resided here, having been employed as salesman at Goode's.

T. L. Weeks of Santa Fe and L. W. Harrell of LaCrosse, two of the most progressive farmers of their respective sections, were transacting business in this city yesterday.

Remember the bazaar and supper to be given by Kirby Smith Chapter, U. D. C., at the opera house Friday evening, the 20th inst. An enjoyable evening is assured all who attend.

Captain C. A. Neal, the phosphate miner of Wade, was transacting business in this city yesterday. He has recently opened his mine at Wade, having formerly operated at Hines.

H. T. Welch, agent of the Southern Express Company at this point and acting route agent, departed yesterday for Leesburg, Eustis and other points in South Florida in the interest of that company.

Among the prominent visitors from Alachua yesterday was E. E. Bell, the clever and efficient justice of the peace in that district. Justice Bell reports matters commercially good in his thriving town.

John Chesser departed yesterday for Tampa, where he will remain for an indefinite period. Mr. Chesser has learned the art of oil painting, the new improved style which can be done quickly on glass. He declares he can teach any person by this system in an hour.

W. D. Wheeler of Bell, one of The Sun's best friends in the West End, was in the city yesterday and paid this office an agreeable call. The friends of Mr. Wheeler will regret to learn that his eyesight is becoming impaired, but it is hoped it will be only temporary.

Hon. W. M. Holloway, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, after a brief visit to his family and friends here, expects to return to his duties at Tallahassee today. Prof. Holloway says good naturedly that "it feels mighty comfortable"—that State superintendent's chair.

W. C. Newbern, who has a contract for grading on the extension of the Jacksonville and Southwestern railroad from Newberry west, spent Sunday with his family here. Mr. Newbern is working a large force of hands, and reports excellent progress, and at the present rate the grading for the entire distance of about eighty miles to Deadman's Bay, will be completed in a few months. There are several "gangs" of graders on the route.

Owen Lloyd of South University street, who owns considerable valuable property in that section, proposes to begin the erection of two new houses at once. Realizing the scarcity of desirable residences for rental purposes, Mr. Lloyd is building for the investment, which will no doubt pay him well.

Andrew Coroneas and G. A. Lopez of Jacksonville have arrived in the city. They are boiler-makers, and came to overhaul the boilers at the waterworks plant. Mr. Coroneas was formerly engaged in the fruit business here, and has many friends who were glad to greet him. They kept him busy shaking hands last night.

Elders Crissler and Killing of Orlando, Seventh Adventist ministers, have arrived in the city, and are conducting a series of meetings at the North Gainesville Hall. Both are impressive speakers, and are attracting good audiences. The meetings will continue throughout the week, and the public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Aday Willis of Williston was the lucky winner of the handsome graphophone given away by Moses Edelstein, the number being 274. A strange and gratifying coincidence of this drawing is the fact that of all holding tickets this estimable lady seemed most anxious to win the prize. Her fond desire has been realized, and Mr. Edelstein will deliver the graphophone to her with great pleasure.

Baked 'possum will be one of the good things to eat at the Kirby Smith Bazaar at the opera house Friday night. The 'possum was caught in a steel trap, weighed ten pounds net, is now in cold storage, and will be prepared by one of the old time darkey cooks in the tempting style for which they are noted. There is no doubt that "possum and taters" will be the first item on the bill of fare which the waitresses will have to announce, "all gone."

From Wednesday's Daily Sun:

W. C. Dampier of Hague was trading in the city yesterday.

J. L. Medlin, the naval stores operator of Meredith, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

L. C. Gracy, the lumber manufacturer of High Springs, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

A vitrified sidewalk is being laid in front of the Edwards stables, West Main street, S.

Chas. Cloud, one of the clever salesmen in the employ of Futch & Co., High Springs, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret Gladden, a charming young lady of Richburg, S. C., is in the city on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. James Doig.

S. G. Matthews and F. D. Peterson, two progressive citizens of Donnie, are in the city. They made The Sun an agreeable call.

Don't forget to call at the Gypsey tent, Kirby Smith bazaar, and have your fortune told. Opera House, Friday, January 20th.

F. G. Sampson of Boardman, proprietor of the famous Sampson grove, one of the largest in the State, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

W. C. Clark of High Springs was in the city for a few hours yesterday. He was en route home from Jacksonville, where he had been on business.

Miss Pauline Mixson of Williston is in the city on a visit to friends and relatives. The acquaintances of this young lady are always glad to greet her.

W. B. Phifer, after a couple of days spent with family here, has returned to Abbott, South Florida, where he is extensively engaged in the naval stores business.

O. B. Bryant, one of the influential citizens of Traxler, was in the city yesterday and took advantage of the opportunity to renew his subscription to Alachua's luminary.

Miss N. Norton, having purchased the business of Mrs. J. A. Ammons, will continue the business at the same stand, the office the Gainesville Sewing Machine Company.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gaitskill of McIntosh arrived in the city from their home yesterday. Mrs. Gaitskill returned in the afternoon, but her husband expects to remain here for a day or two on business.

Marshal Chas. Pinkoson has gone to Ocala to attend the session of the United States court. During his absence Officer Chas. Warren is acting marshal, while Crocket L. Kite will serve as night officer.

T. W. Shands, the naval stores operator of Otter Creek, has returned to that place, after a brief visit to his family in this city. Mr. Shands is one of the most extensive, as well as most successful operators, in Levy county, if not in the State.

Lost—Two mares; one a dark sorrel, one white hind foot, small star in face and very spirited. The other a white blaze face, red, with black spot on right hind leg, three white feet. Any information of same address Virgin Irving, Atlas, Fla. w2t

L. J. Burkhim made his departure Monday for New York, where he goes to purchase his spring stock. Mr. Burkhim states that he proposes to have the coming spring one of the neatest and most stylish lines of gentlemen's furnishings and clothing ever seen in this section.

J. H. Starke, a progressive colored farmer of Waldo, and one of the oldest subscribers of The Sun in that section, was in the city yesterday and renewed his subscription. If there were more colored farmers like him the race would likely be a great deal more prosperous and independent.

William Littledale of Hawthorn, the clever and successful traveling salesman for the E. J. Smith Company, manufacturing confectioners, Jacksonville, was in the city yesterday in the interest of his house. It is said that Mr. Littledale enjoys the most successful candy trade of any salesman visiting this section.

Among the prominent country folk visiting this city yesterday was Judge J. A. J. Strickland of Hague. Judge Strickland served his district for several years as justice of the peace with efficiency and impartiality, and was regarded as one of the most competent officials in the county. He will be succeeded by R. W. Small.

The press of Florida at large sympathizes deeply with Senator McCreary, of the Gainesville Sun, in the death of his brother, W. T. McCreary, which sad event occurred in Cedar Key, last Sunday. Deceased was a native of North Carolina, and his friends and acquaintances always spoke well of him as having some very lofty bearings, and enjoyed the confidence and respect of all who knew him.—High Springs Hornet.

As has already been announced in The Sun, the Cemetery Association has selected Friday, January 20, as the day for setting out trees, shrubbery and flowers and otherwise beautifying the cemetery grounds. The association is very anxious to make a fine showing, and solicits donations of trees and other shrubbery, as well as flowers. Those having same are requested to send or bring them promptly to the cemetery on the date selected—the 20th inst.

Walter S. Turner of Micanopy, one of the most progressive young citizens of that section, was a business visitor to this city yesterday. While here Mr. Turner contracted for 1,000 pounds of pork to be delivered to Carter & Anderson. Aside from being a successful farmer, he conducts a market at Micanopy and enjoys a fine trade. He raises all his own meat for the market, and this year will reserve about 700 pounds of hams and pork for family use. As an all-round citizen Mr. Turner is a hustler.

Cuba.

For bargains in real estate lands in the different parts and provinces in Cuba, it will be well to see J. R. Smith of Trenton, Fla., who is in a position to make it to your interest, and can secure special reduced rates to and from the steamship transportation companies and on the Cuban Western railroad for prospecting or immigrating purposes. dltw3t

READ THIS.

Ripley, Tenn., June 1, 1901.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis Mo.—Dear Sir: Having tried various remedies without satisfactory results, I was persuaded to give your "Texas Wonder" a trial. I have used one bottle, and although my case is one of long standing that baffled the skill of the best physician, yet it yielded at once to "The Texas Wonder," which I heartily recommend to all suffering from kidney and bladder troubles.

Yours truly,
W. H. BRUTON,
Pastor Baptist Church, Ripley, Tenn.

A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

From Thursday's Daily Sun:

C. V. McQueen of Lexington was trading in the city yesterday.

Seed cane for sale. Address S. L. Turner, Micanopy, Fla. w2t

Miss Murrie Futch of High Springs was shopping in the city yesterday.

First-class buggy repairing and painting. C. C. Pedrick. s&w-1m

Chas. Whittier of Kirkwood was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

B. W. Fontaine of Micanopy was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Mrs. J. N. Strobhar has returned from a pleasant visis to friends in Savannah.

J. M. Shipman, the lumber manufacturer of Archer, was in the city on business yesterday.

Wanted—Man to operate veneer, lathe and saw at once. Williston Manufacturing Co., Williston, Fla.

P. H. Barker, the naval stores operator of Campville, was transacting business in Gainesville yesterday.

T. H. Cato and charming daughter, Miss Alice, of Alachua were among those favoring Gainesville with a visit yesterday.

A. McDavid of LaCrosse was among the visitors to this city yesterday. He called at The Sun office and renewed his subscription.

For Sale—New Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, f. o. b. factory or Gainesville. Apply at this office or 303 East Liberty street. dwtf

R. W. Small of Hague was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. Mr. Small was elected justice of the peace of his district at the last election.

John Videon of Archer was in town yesterday. Mr. Videon states that things commercially at Archer are lively, and that the merchants are enjoying a good trade.

Rev. W. S. Duncan of Micanopy and George Byles of Windsor were among the visitors to the county capital yesterday. The latter is a prominent merchant of his town.

J. M. Shaw of Alachua was in the city yesterday. He brought a quantity of fine home-make sausage, spare ribs and backbone, which he managed to dispose of quickly at good prices.

James Holder and J. D. Pope, the merchants and naval stores operators of Rochelle, were in the city yesterday. They came for the purpose of purchasing a number of mules for their turpentine farm.

Mrs. Jackman and daughter of New York City have arrived, and will spend the winter here. They are pleasantly located at the home of Mrs. B. F. Jordan, North Oak avenue. It is to be hoped they will be well pleased.

Don't pay other printers their prices for printed stationery that you can get at The Sun office for about one-half what they charge. We employ no solicitors and save commissions, etc., to the consumer. See price list in another column.

H. L. Rosenberger, the successful trucker and farmer of Kirkwood, was trading in the city yesterday. He reports a heavy movement of lettuce for the last few weeks, but the markets are so discouraging at present that the shipments have decreased.

The supper to be given at the opera house tomorrow night by Kirby Smith Chapter, U. D. C., is for the benefit of the memorial fund. The menu will comprise everything good to eat, and in addition to the supper market and candy booths will be a feature of the entertainment.

Miss Ida Redding, who departed for her home at Mosely Hall a few days ago with the expectation of returning shortly to Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga., to resume her studies, has returned to the city, and her young friends will be delighted to know that she has decided to enter East Florida Seminary.

Dr. M. H. DePass, R. B. Hodgson and B. F. Walker formed a jolly trio of Archer folks who visited Gainesville yesterday. Dr. DePass states that he has just finished the setting of ten acres on his place in pecan trees. These trees are of the Jacox variety, are three years old, and he anticipates that they will be bearing in three years.

Among the visitors to this city yesterday was J. W. Sinquefield of Kirkwood, postmaster and merchant of that progressive village. Mr. Sinquefield came here from Mississippi a few months ago and purchased the mercantile interests of J. R. Emerson. He is well pleased with his new home, and proposes to make his home here for the remainder of his life. Mr. Sinquefield has been appointed agent for The Sun, and is authorized to solicit and receipt for subscriptions.

TO BEAUTIFY . . . YOUR COMPLEXION

IN 10 DAYS, USE

Satinola

THE UNEQUALLED BEAUTIFIER.

SATINOLA is a new discovery, guaranteed and money refunded if it fails to remove the worst case of Freckles, Pimples, Tan, Sallowness, Liver Spots, Blackheads, or any skin eruption, in 20 days. Leaves the skin clear, soft, healthy, and restores the beauty of youth. Thousands testify to the merits of Satinola. Price 50c and $1.00 by leading druggists or mail. Prepared only by

NATIONAL TOILET CO., Paris, Tenn.

Sold in Gainesville by J. S. Bodiford & Co., J. W. McCollum & Co., W. M. Johnson and all leading druggists.

Cuthbert Padgett departed yesterday for Lakeland, where he expects to recuperate for a few weeks. This young man has just recovered from a forty-one day spell of fever, and goes to South Florida with the hope that the change will prove beneficial. His young friends are glad to see him out again, and trust that he will rapidly improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell, who for the past few months have been residing at 208 West Church street, have removed to Jacksonville, which city they will make their future home. They made many friends here who regretted exceedingly to see them leave. Mr. Blackwell has been connected with the naval stores department of the Cummer Lumber Company.

F. H. Clyatt, the trucker of Clyatt Station, was among the visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Clyatt states that lettuce shipments, which have been heavy, have been partially checked on account of the condition of the market, but some cauliflower is moving now. Cauliflower is one of the best paying crops, and is bringing now in the Eastern markets from $3.50 to $4 per basket.

There was a very interesting union service in the M. E. Church at Orange Heights on Sunday, the 15th—preaching by Rev. Branning of Waldo, assisted by the M. E. pastor of Melrose, after which a Sabbath school was organized. There will hereafter be preaching at this point every two weeks, these two ministers officiating alternately, first and third Sabbath in each month.

Hon. N. R. Carter of Levyville, State Senator-elect from Levy county, is in the city as a guest of his son, W. P. Carter. Mr. Carter was stricken with paralysis about five months ago, since which time he has been partially helpless. His friends, however, will be glad to learn that his condition is greatly improved. He is also affected with catarrh of the stomach, and came here for the purpose of consulting medical aid. It is hoped that his visit will result in relief.

W. D. Morton of Eve, one of the cleverest, biggest-hearted fellows in the world, was in the city on business yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call. Mr. Morton was formerly engaged in phosphate mining, but relinquished his "rights" to this occupation to follow trucking. He has a nice farm, comprising all kinds of good things in vegetables, and expects to realize a good thing financially from his crop. If he gets what he deserves he will not be disappointed.

Funeral of Mrs. Crown.

The funeral of Mrs. J. S. Crown, Sr., who died Friday night, was held from the residence of her son, J. S. Crown, Jr., Rocky Point, at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning, Rev. S. B. Rogers of the First Baptist Church, this city, officiating.

The service was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends and relatives, many of whom followed the remains to their last resting place in Evergreen cemetery.

Notice.

Strayed or stolen, one small black mare about six years old. Branded "Z" on shoulder. A liberal reward will be given anyone returning her or for any information of her whereabouts. J. J. Leitner, Geiger, Fla.